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## SWATOW ADVENTURE DIRECTED AGAINST BRITAIN: CHINESE WERE EXPECTING A LANDING

ARRIVALS TELL OF SWATOW BOMBARDMENT

NO PENETRATION INLAND

ARRIVALS FROM SWATOW YESTERDAY STATED THAT THE JAPANESE BOMBARDMENT OF THAT PORT COMMENCED ON Wednesday morning when half a dozen Japanese gunboats entered the harbour and shelled the Chinese defences in and around the city.

The waterfront defences were particular objects of attack. Chinese troops were then ordered to withdraw, and no attempt was made to put up any defence in face on the naval guns. They therefore retired out of the city to defences further inland which had been prepared for a long time.

On Thursday, the first Japanese landing party stepped ashore. It consisted of five marines. They were followed in the course of the day by others from the gunboats already in harbour and others which entered that day, until the number of Japanese now in Swatow is estimated to be between one and two thousand.

**NO BIG FIRES**  
Before withdrawal, Chinese troops are said to have dynamited the waterworks and the power station. A few vital buildings were also set on fire, but it is gathered that there was no large-scale conflagration. In all, about 20 buildings, mostly godowns, have been burned down.

Foreign property is said to be intact. It is understood that the Chinese authorities last month ordered the evacuation from Swatow of many women and children and aged people, as well as all those whose business or livelihood did not require them to remain.

The Japanese have not attempted to penetrate further inland for fear of traps set for them by the Chinese, as well as guerillas.

H.M.S. Thanet and H.M.S. Scout are remaining at Swatow, but no special instructions have been issued. The duty of the British warships is to ensure that normal entry and clearance of British ships there are not hindered.

**RESUME SAILINGS**  
British shipping companies have been advised by the naval authorities to resume sailings to Swatow. Harbour Office officials stated yesterday that clearances for Swatow were being handled as usual.

The Jardine steamer, Fauang, left Hongkong at 2 p.m. yesterday for the North via Swatow, but there were no passengers or cargo for that port. Douglas steamers are omitting Swatow for the time being.

**SPECIAL TO THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS"**  
THE OPINION THAT THE LATEST JAPANESE ADVENTURE AT SWATOW IS NOT DIRECTED SO MUCH AGAINST CHINA AS AGAINST FOREIGN NATIONS, PARTICULARLY GREAT BRITAIN, is advanced by a number of Chinese officials at present in Hongkong.

The Chinese had long been expecting a landing at the north Kwangtung port, it is stated, and duly prepared their defences further inland as it was futile to attempt to hold the city against naval bombardment.

The Swatow episode is considered to be the latest of the recent series of Japanese efforts along the entire China coast to inconvenience foreign nationals and destroy whatever trade they may be carrying on in those places.

Britain is affected by these events more than any other nation. According to Chinese opinion, the ultimate aim of the Japanese in their recent movements is to seek to induce Britain to mediate in what may now safely be called an impasse in the Sino-Japanese war.

China, it is stated, desires peace, but the terms which she is prepared to consider are not the terms upon which the Japanese are willing to negotiate.

"Britain recognizes China's position," said one official, "and therefore Japan is wasting her time."

### H.K. CAPABLE OF WITHSTANDING A LONG SIEGE

SINGAPORE, June 23 (Reuter)—It is believed that the protection of Hongkong formed an important feature of the discussions at the Anglo-French defence conference now in session here under the chairmanship of Adm. Sir Percy Noble.

Defence experts are understood to consider that Hongkong is capable of withstanding a long siege in view of the recent steps taken to expand and modernize her defences.

Cholera Inoculation Certificates

## UNUSUAL SCENES AS CROWDS GATHER IN FRONT OF HEALTH OFFICE

### Essential For Travel To Macao: Police Summoned

Unusual scenes were witnessed yesterday afternoon in front of the office of the Port Health Officer, Ice House Street, when the Emergency Squad had to be called out to control a crowd of several hundred people desirous of obtaining the essential cholera inoculation certificate for travelling to Macao.

The only proof of inoculation which the Macao authorities would recognize to permit landing of Hongkong passengers is the local Port Health Officer's certificate, it is learned.

Private medical practitioners' certificates are not valid, though at first the Macao authorities declared that certificates issued by Portuguese doctors practising here would be recognized.

The department is normally open for inoculation and issue of certificates for only two hours daily, from 3 to 5 p.m., but the number of people that showed up yesterday were so numerous that the assistance of the police was found necessary to maintain order.

**GREAT RELUCTANCE**

There was great reluctance on the part of a large number to being lined up to await their turn, and the consequent confusion was remedied only when the police, their patience and gentle counsel sorely tried, had to resort to force in dealing with the more stubborn ones among the crowd.

Several people, in fact, broke from the queue and, scaling the retaining wall on the side of Battery Path, managed to effect prior entrance to the Port Health Office by way of a window.

Intending passengers to Macao are required to obtain, in the first place, a certificate from the shipping company showing that passage has been purchased.

This is issued on payment of \$2 and entitles the holder to free inoculation at the Port Health Office and a certificate, on which a photo is attached. It is understood that the shipping company acts as collecting agent for the Government for the fee of \$2 for the inoculation certificate.

**ADDITIONAL STATION**

The Medical Department last night announced that an additional station for inoculation against cholera for intending passengers for Macao and for the issue of certificates will be opened as from to-day at the vaccination centre in the compound of the Harbour Office, opposite the Wing On Co.

The public is reminded that inoculation certificates are valid if dated not less than six days and not more than six months from the date of disembarkation.

The President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Oliver Stanley, told the House of Commons that negotiations with the United States for the exchange of stock cotton against stock rubber to be held for war emergency purposes have reached the final stages and it was hoped to have the agreement signed yesterday. (Reuter).

### NEW BATTLESHIP FOR BRITAIN

The contract for the construction of another 40,000-ton battleship will be placed by the Admiralty next week. The contract will be placed with John Brown and Co., Glasgow, shipbuilding firm. The cost of construction of the new battleship will be about £2,000,000. (T.O.)

## Berlin, Rome Not Likely To Be Pleased

### HONOUR OF U.S. FLAG DAMAGED BY JAPANESE

PARIS, JUNE 23 (REUTER)—RECENT EVENTS IN THE FAR EAST HAVE HAD THE EFFECT OF INVOLVING THE UNITED STATES IN THE DEFENCE OF DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS THERE, ACCORDING TO DONNADIEU WRITING IN "EPOQUE".

He says, "Germany and Italy pressed Japan to create the incident in China with the intention of associating her in any projected operations in Europe. Unfortunately the Japanese carried out the instructions too much to the letter."

"In damaging the honour of the American flag they involved the United States in the defence of democratic rights in the Far East. It is unlikely that they will be very pleased in Berlin and Rome."

"Humanite" says that British rejection of the Japanese ultimatum is something to be thankful for and adds that it is a crime against peace to provide victory for Hitler's allies in the Far East, victory from which Hitler would derive the most benefits in Europe.

## Close Empire Food Markets To Japan

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—The Journal "Food Industries Weekly" says that action will not need to be taken by the Government regarding Japanese salmon 'because Japanese agents in London have now decided there is practically no possibility of this surplus being shipped here.'

The journal adds there are more than salmon coming from the troubled waters of Tientsin; 71,000 cwt. of canned pilchards come to Britain every year while the pilchard fisheries in Cornwall are starved for lack of a market.

The weekly declares that foreign fish, including roughly 2,000 cwt. of Japanese pick are being sold here under "respectable" labels and urges the scrapping of the Anglo-Japanese Treaty of 1911 and closing of the food markets of the Empire to Japan.

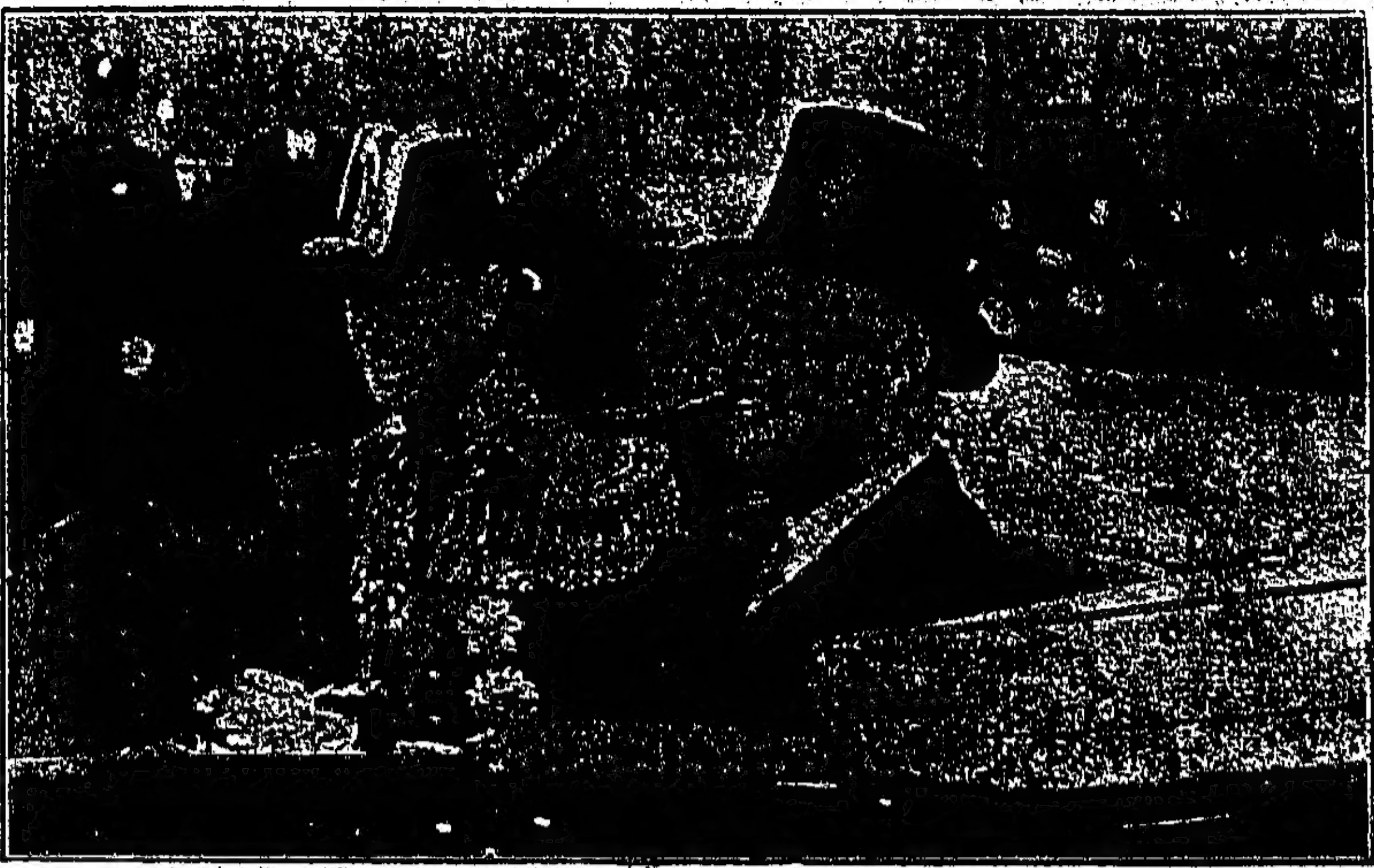
## STRONG ACTION SOUGHT

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—The British Government will be pressed to take stronger measures against the Japanese action in Tientsin at question time in the House of Commons on Monday, when Sir James Wardlaw—Milne, K.B.E., M.P., will ask the Government to press for immediate apology and satisfaction for the indignities suffered by British subjects.

Lieut.-Col. R. T. Bower, R.N. (C) will request an increase in naval forces and advocate a new broadcast service in Japanese.

Lieut.-Col. Sir Walter D. Smiles, C.I.E., D.S.O., will advocate economic reprisals.

## Leaders Of The Two Great Democracies



ARRIVAL IN WASHINGTON.—The King, in the full dress uniform of an Admiral of the Fleet, with President Roosevelt driving away from the station at Washington to the White House.

## REAL END TO HISTORIC TOUR

### CHOPPER ATTACK IN CONNAUGHT ROAD WEST

### TWO MEN BADLY INJURED

Connaught Road West was the scene of a chopper attack last night in which two men were seriously injured.

The attack occurred about 8 p.m. The two victims, Chung Nam and Chung Kat, both godown coolies, were sitting along the Praya cooling themselves when they observed a youth teasing a girl in the street.

They got up to remonstrate with the youth who, resenting their interference, seized a chopper from a woman nearby who was chopping firewood and dealt several blows on the two men.

Severe head injuries were inflicted, and the victims had to be sent to hospital.

Police later arrested the alleged assailant, a 22-year-old rattan worker named Sun Hei, living at No. 117 Central Street.

**COOLIES FIGHT**

A fight between two coolies at No. 9 Shan Bin Lane, first floor, yesterday resulted in one of them, Tam Kwong, 33, being admitted to the Queen Mary Hospital with two stab wounds in his chest, both of which penetrated his left lung.

Tam is in a serious condition. His assailant is reported to be Lam Lung, alias Lam Man, a former employee of the wounded man, who has absconded. The fight arose, witnesses of the incident claim, from Tam having discharged Lam from his service.

### 20 LIVES LOST IN STORM

About 20 lives were lost in a storm which ravaged eastern Bohemia and Moravia on Thursday evening. Many people were carried off by the floods and others were killed by lightning while working in the fields.

The bodies of six children were found at Wlowitz after the floods had subsided. Numerous children as well as some adults are missing in that region. (T.O.)

### THE DOLLAR

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From Our Own Correspondent  
London: June 23

London silver prices to-day were up 3/16 as follows:  
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## KING AND QUEEN ATTEND GUILDHALL LUNCHEON

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—For their Majesties the King and Queen, the luncheon given by the Lord Mayor of London and the City of London Corporation at the Guildhall was the real end to the historic journey which has taken them over 11,000 miles.

## King's Reply To Commons' Address

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—The King has sent to the House of Commons the following reply to the House's Loyal address on the Royal homecoming:

"I thank you sincerely for the address and loyal and affectionate greetings on the return of the Queen and myself from our journey in the course of which we in turn visited Canada, the United States and Newfoundland.

"We shall always remember the wonderful and inspiring welcome we received from our subjects in Canada and Newfoundland and the kindness and genuine friendliness of the United States.

"We have been greatly touched by the warmth of our reception on our return to this country."

## BUS CRASH IN WANCHAI

### VEHICLE RUNS INTO PILLAR

AN UNFORTUNATE MOTOR accident, which might have had serious consequences, occurred about 5 p.m. in Lockhart Road, Wanchai, when a China Motor bus crashed into a verandah pillar.

The bus was proceeding in an easterly direction when the driver swerved to avoid a Chinese boy who suddenly darted across the road. Unable to pull up in time after the sudden change of direction, the vehicle crashed into the pillar with some force.

No one was hurt, however, and bus passengers suffered only a shaking. The radiator of the bus was shattered and some damage was done to the pillar.

Thieves yesterday morning entered a garage at No. 123 Austin Road, Kowloon, leaving with one Decca motor, No. 5581, valued at \$45.

The Royal party, which included Queen Mary, drove from Buckingham Palace in a carriage with an escort of Life Guards, through streets packed with enthusiastic crowds and lined by guards of the Navy and Royal Marines and units of the city's famous Territorial regiments.

Throughout the route to and from the Guildhall the city streets and buildings were decorated with flags.

Among the distinguished guests at the Guildhall luncheon were the Prime Minister and Mrs. Chamberlain, the Foreign Secretary and Lady Halifax, the United States Ambassador and Mrs. Joseph Kennedy, the High Commissioner for Canada and Mrs. Vincent Massey and Mr. C. T. de Water, High Commissioner for South Africa.

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## DIVERGENCE OF OPINION

### Neutrality Policy Of Belgium

BRUSSELS, June 23 (T.Ocean)—The question of whether Belgian policy of neutrality is compatible with General Staff talks between Belgium and other countries has resulted in open divergence of views between Premier Pierlot and the Foreign Affairs Commission of the Senate.

The Premier recently stated that Belgium, by reason of her policy of absolute neutrality, must not only abstain from all military alliances but also from all constructions of a military nature with foreign countries.

It now appears that at Thursday's sitting of the Senate's Foreign Affairs Commission, the well-known Catholic Senator de Dorlodot moved a resolution demanding the reopening of General Staff talks between Belgium, France and England. The Commission negated the resolution in the form proposed by Senator de Dorlodot and adopted another resolution stating: "The policy of neutrality does not affect Belgium's right to establish contact with the General Staff of any foreign country."

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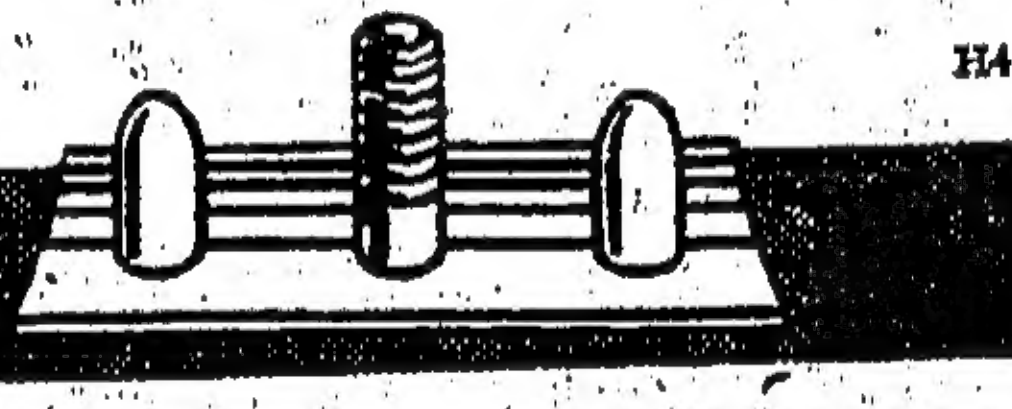
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## BASEBALL NOTES:

### Brewers Bet To Beat Chinese B.C.

#### But Bitter Battle Is Predicted

BY "R. O. Y." THE MAIN ATTRACTION of this week's baseball programme will be the meeting of the two headliners of the local league in the opener of Sunday's double-header; although nothing in baseball is really certain, Union Brewers are almost sure of carrying off the pennant, if they can account for the Chinese Baseballers in this clash.

At 2.30 p.m. to-day, the Hongkong Baseballers take on the Recrelo squad; "Doc" Molthen has his boys all ready to make amends for their dismal showing of last week and expects to offer the Portuguese gang plenty of opposition. There is every possibility that "Rusty" Fedoseyev, who recently returned from Australia, will make a re-appearance with the Club.

His services would be extremely valuable if used to plug the Club's weak spot at the Hot Corner. The Recrelo line-up will be unchanged and although they should chalk up their first undisputed victory of season, a good battle should be seen.

The Brewers-Chinese clash, at 10 a.m. to-morrow, is expected to be a handiwork that few fans will want to miss. Earl Wong is, at present, in grand-hurling form, and, Nip Lum back in the line-up to support him behind the plate, should hold the opposing sluggers to a very meagre score.

#### PITCHERS' BATTLE

"Chet" Bennett is confidently offering odds that Jesse el Arculli, with the excellent support of his fielders, will win this pitchers' battle and the Brewers are bound to start hot favourites. Much will depend on whether Dave Leonard and Co., can connect with Earl Wong's speedy deliveries but I am inclined to give the edge to the Brewers as their defence appears to be more dependable than that of the Chinese aggregation.

The night-cap will commence at 11.30 a.m., or thereabouts, and will see the U.S.S. Mindanao in action against South China. The local critics are agreed that this should prove to be easy for the Mindanao's slugging sailors but, although Douglas' boys, should finish on the long end of the count, I consider that Chang is hurling effective enough ball to give Nam Wah an outside chance of creating an upset.

Skipper Bill Hong Sling has been working on his gang and is confident that he has cured his boys of their bone-headed base running which proved so costly against Recrelo last week; the game should be closer than most of the fans expect.

## TENNIS POSTPONED

The match on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground, between the Club and the Chinese R.C., was postponed on account of the unplayable condition of the ground. All matches in Kowloon were also postponed.

### IRISH AMATEUR GOLF TITLE

ROSSE POINT, June 23 (Reuter)—In the final of the Irish Native Amateur Golf Championship, Owens beat Dr. Roy McConnell 6 up and 5 over 36 holes. Owens was 3 up at the 18th.

## Sporting Fixtures

### TO-DAY

LAWN BOWLS.—First Division: Craigengower v. K'loon B.C.C.; Recrelo "B" v. Recrelo "A"; Police R.C. v. Kowloon Dockers; Kowloon C.C. v. Civil Service; Second Division: K'loon B.C.C. v. Craigengower; Civil Service v. Kowloon F.C.; Hongkong F.C. v. Kowloon Tong; Takko R.C. v. Police R.C.; Third Division: Prison Officer's Club v. Recrelo; Kowloon F.C. v. Kowloon C.C.; Yacht Club v. Kowloon B.C.C.; Electric R.C. v. Hongkong F.C.

## HOME CRICKET

### Verity In Deadly Form

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—The West Indies tourists defeated Lincolnshire at Scunthorpe by an innings and 60 runs.

Lincolnshire: 120 (Constantine 8 for 30) and 183. West Indies: 363 (Jeff Stollmeyer 100, Grant 94).

Yorshire beat Glamorgan at Bradford, by an innings and 95 runs. Glamorgan: 188 (Verity 7 for 48) and 65 (Verity 7 for 20). Yorks: 328 (Hutton 144, Judge 8 for 75). Gloucester beat Cambridge at Bristol by ten wickets. Cambridge U: 121 (Cranfield 5 for 33) and 186. (Sinfield 5 for 44, Cranfield 5 for 55). Gloucester: 183 (Webster 5 for 62) and 107 for 0.

## BOWLS RESULTS

In the Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship yesterday, J. W. MacDonald and S. M. White lost to H. Brown and A. J. Hall by 7 shots to 34, on the Kowloon Cricket Club green.

On the same green, J. C. Remedios and C. C. Pereira defeated P. McCarthy and P. Morgan 22-16.

At the Craigengower Cricket Club, J. Hoosen and A. R. Minn beat J. S. Riddell and J. S. Aitken 33-11.

## H.K. GOLF CLUB STARTING TIMES

The following are the Royal Hongkong Golf Club starting times for Fanning to-morrow (Sunday):—

Old Course	
9.15	R. H. Gregory, R. Young.
9.20	N. D. Lloyd, Col. Collin.
9.24	E. T. McMullen, G. C. Worral.
9.28	S. S. Church, I. H. Geare.
9.32	D. A. O'Kieffe, G. R. Razavet.
9.36	A. N. and Q. A. A. Macfadyn.
9.40	A. D. Humphreys, A. B. Purves.
10.04	J. M. Pearson, D. D. Forbes.
10.08	G. M. Park, P. S. Delany.
10.12	A. K. Mackenzie, F. D. Hunter.
10.16	T. A. Pearce, D. Humphreys.
New Course	
9.24	E. C. Price, I. P. Tamworth.
9.36	Mrs. O'Kieffe, Mrs. Razavet.

## WORLD RECORD FOR GERMAN GLIDERS

German gliders have once again shown their mettle in some recent goal flights. Bergens set up the best record with a flight from point to point of 330 miles. He was followed by Schmidt who landed at 310 miles and Kietz with 275 miles.

## U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, June 23 (Reuter)—The following are the results of matches played yesterday in the Major League:

NATIONAL LEAGUE	
New York	7 11 2
Pittsburgh	8 15 1
Battery: Boldman and Muller.	
Boston	1 6 1
Chicago	7 11 1
Galan homered for the Cubs.	
Battery: Dean and Hartnett.	
Philadelphia	5 12 1
St. Louis	11 15 2
Mueller homered for the Phillies.	
Battery: Cooper and Owen.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
Chicago	1 8 1
New York	8 9 1
Selkirk homered for the Yankees.	
Battery: Donald and Dickey.	
St. Louis	3 6 2
Boston	7 12 1
Battery: Wilson and Peacock.	
Detroit	5 12 2
Philadelphia	8 13 0
McCosky, Averill and Fox homered for the Tigers and Johnson for the Athletics.	
Battery: Nelson and Hayes.	
Cleveland	5 14 0
Washington	8 11 4
Trosky and Keltner homered for the Indians.	
Battery: Kelley and Gullani.	

All three beat the previous record for a point to point flight of 225 miles held by Peter Ridel, also a German.—(Transocean).

## WIMBLEDON TOURNEY

### FIRST MATCH ON CENTRE COURT

London, June 23.—(T/Ocean) The Wimbledon tournament will be opened on Monday when the German, Roderich Menzel, meets the English player, E. C. Peters, on the Centre Court at two o'clock.

Although it is customary to have the defending champion to open the tournament, this was impossible in the present case because last year's winner, Donald Budge, has since turned professional.

There was some surprise that the English player, H. W. Austin, was not given the honour of playing the first match on the Centre Court.

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## First Test Match

12.00 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Patricia Rossborough at the Piano.

Finger Prints (Engelman). Medley: Intro: My Blue Heaven; Sweet Sue; The Japanese Sandman. Dances In Distress—Selection. Medley: Intro: Hometown; Moon at Sea; You're here, you're there.

12.45 p.m. New Mayfair Orchestra. Globe-Trotting with The Tiger (arr. Phil Green). The Whirl of The Waltz—Intro: Destiny; Naughty Waltz; Valse Vanille; Missouri Waltz; Ragging The Rags—Intro: Grizzly Bear Rag; Haunting Rag; Mysterious Rag; Temptation Rag; Red Pepper Rag; Medley of Dance Hits—Intro: Boo-Hoo; Funnies from Heaven; When my dream boat comes home.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Dinah Miller (Vocal) and Henry Jacques and His Orchestra.

Chinatown. My Chinatown—Fox-Trot—Henry Jacques and His Orchestra.

I'm A Fool For Loving You (Wendling-Lewis); Lost My Rhythm; Lost My Music; Lost My Man (film Soft Lights and Sweet Music)—Dinah Miller (The Personality Girl) with Orchestra.

When Bomba Plays A Rumba—Rumba; Lonely Troubadour—Tango—Henry Jacques and His Orchestra.

Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra. I'm Frivolous Over You (film Mr. Deeds Goes To Town); River Man (Cavanaugh and Others)—Dinah Miller (The Personality Girl) with Orchestra.

You Took The Words Right Out Of My Heart—Fox-Trot (film The Big Broadcast of 1938); The Waltz Lives On—Waltz (film The Big Broadcast of 1938)—Henry Jacques and His Orchestra.

Correct Tempo Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Gounod—"Faust" Ballet Music and Selections from the Opera.

## TO - MORROW

## FIRST TALK BY PETER GRACEY FROM THE STUDIO

Beethoven Quartet

10.30 to 11.30 a.m. Relay of Morning Service from the Union Church.

11.30 to 12.15 p.m. Relay of Morning Service from The Hop Yai Church (Chinese).

12.15 p.m. Schumann—Concerto in A Minor, Op. 125.

Gregor Platigorsky (Cello) and The London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli.

12.40 p.m. A Short Concert by Eileen Joyce (Piano).

Impromptu in E Flat Major, Op. 90, No. 2 (Schubert); Andante in A (Schubert); Etude De Concert in F Minor (Liszt); Stude De Concert in A Flat Major (Paul De Schlozer).

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Dennis Noble (Baritone) and Light Symphony Orchestra.

Homage March (Haydn Wood)—Light Symphony Orchestra conducted by "Prolog"—Handel: I Bless The Dawn That Brought Me You (Glanville and Haydn Wood)—Dennis Noble (Baritone) with Orch. Two Interlinked French Folk Melodies (Edith Smyth); Minuet (from "Fete Galante"—Edith Smyth)—Light Symphony Orchestra conducted by Adrian Boult.

She Shall Have Music (Brandon-Murray)—Dennis Noble (Baritone) and Purcell—Hubert Elsdell, Heddle Nash, Dennis Noble and Norman Allin with String Quartet. Bal Masque (Fetich)—Light Symphony Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Beethoven—Quartet in E Flat Major, Op. 127.

Bush Quartet.

2.30 p.m. Close down.

7.00 p.m. Compositions of Handel. Overture in D Minor—London Symphony Orchestra cond. by Albert Coates. Ombra Mai Fu (Large)—Tito Schipa (Tenor) with Orch. (Sung in Italian). March From "Hercules"—Alfred Sittard at the Organ of St. Michael's Church, Hamburg. Let Me Weep (from Rinaldo)—Maria Olczewska (Contralto) and the Berlin State Opera Orchestra (Sung in Italian). Suite De Ballet (The Origin of Design)—Sir Thomas Beecham and London Philharmonic Orchestra—Care Selve (from "Atalanta")—Helene Lu.

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12 Mid-night. Close down.

8.35 p.m. London Relay—Vive Le Sport!

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9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—London Log.

9.45 p.m. London Relay—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News.

9.50 p.m. Local Sport Results.

9.54 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.

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11.15 p.m. London Relay—The First Cricket Test Match England v. The West Indies.

A commentary during play by Howard Marshall and Michael Standish from Lord's Cricket Ground, London.

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1.00—"Cards on the Table" (D1).

1.15—A Curtain Raiser (D1).

2.15—"London Log" (D1).

2.30—News (D1).

2.45—The B.B.C. Military Band (D1).

3.15—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News (D1).

3.30—Young People's Session (A).

4.30—Recorded Music (A).

5.25—Commentary on News (A).

6.40—Piano Recital by Artur Schnabel (A).

7.30—The First Cricket Test Match: England v. The West Indies. Commentary by Howard Marshall (D2).

7.45—Celebrity Trio (D2).

8.20—The First Cricket Test Match: England v. The West Indies (D2).

8.35—"Vive le sport!" Fun and games of two nations (D2).

9.00—Piano Recital by Artur Schnabel (A).

9.15—News (D2).

9.30—"London Log" (D2).

9.45—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News (D2).

10.00—Dance Music by Hugo Rignold and his Orchestra (D3).

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11.15—The First Test between England between England and West Indies (D3).

11.35—Musical Interlude (D3).

12.00—News (D3).

12.15—Hazel's Aylesbury Printing Works Band (D3).

12.55—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News (D3).

1.00—Fred Hartley, syncopated piano music (D3).

1.30—The First Cricket Test Match between England and the West Indies (D3).

CHUNGKING NEWS BROADCAST

A regular series of short-wave broadcasts in the English and other foreign languages have been inaugurated by the Central Broadcasting Administration, Chungking.

Of special interest to Far East listeners are the news broadcasts at 10 a.m. (H.K. time) each day on 25.21 metres (11.9 megacycles).

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GERMAN MOVE TO COUNTERACT BRITISH POLICY

BERLIN, June 23 (Reuter).—A group of influential German industrialists is sending a delegation of businessmen to Moscow with the aim of reviving trade relations with the Soviet.

According to apparently reliable information, the delegation has been authorised to offer Moscow a ten-year credit of 175,000,000 marks for purchases in Germany, while the latter is prepared to buy huge quantities of raw materials, particularly timber, leather and oil.

Foreign political circles regard this move as an attempt to counteract Britain's policy in Moscow.

FRANCO-TURKISH PACT COMPLETE

PARIS, June 23 (Reuter).—The Franco-Turkish Pact will be signed to-day.

The treaty of mutual assistance on the lines of the Anglo-Turkish agreement will be signed in Paris by M. Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, and the Turkish Ambassador and the supplementary agreement will be signed in Ankara, ending Sanjak and Alexandretta to Turkey.

## THE SERVICES

## ROYAL NAVY

## NEW ENGINEER OVERSEER

Engineer Captain J. P. Johns, from the Naval Ordnance Department, is appointed as Engineer Overseer at the Elswick gun works of Vickers-Armstrongs, Limited, in succession to Engineer Captain J. D. Sturrock, who has served there for 6½ years, and has been placed on the retired list.

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## NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:

Cdr. G. F. Renwick, to Rochester, in command (on recomng.); C. John, to York (June 28).

Engr. Cdr. L. A. Symes, to Victory (June 14).

Surgn. Cdr. (D)—A. Macpherson, to Victory for R.N.B. (June 21).

Engr. Cdr. W. H. Bradley, to Daedalus (June 15).

Lt.-Cdr. H. Vickers, to Bramble, in command (on recomng.) (June 14).

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. (D)—J. C. Benson, to Daedalus (June 19).

Lt.—P. L. Mortimer (F/Lt. R.A.F.), to Victory (June 5); W. D. Chilstone, to Woolwick (June 9) C. R. Purse, to Hero (June 14).

Surgn. Lt. (D)—J. D. Atkins, L.D.S., to Wilddire; F. B. Gamblen, L.D.S. to Hood (June 15).

Sub-Lt.—J. S. Perival-Jones, to Salamander (June 14); N. Larken, to Antelope (June 22), apt. to Salamander cancelled.

Proby. Sub-Lt.—T. R. Walling, C. G. Forsberg, to Furios for training; R. H. Sach, to Repulse for training; H. C. Ewen, to Cumberland for training; A. E. E. Sharp, to Forth for training (June 12).

Act. Pay. Sub-Lt.—D. A. Yeo, to Ark Royal (June 9).

Cd. Gunner (T)—F. Jefferson, to Maidstone (June 10).

Gunner (T)—T. E. Tomkins, to Antelope (June 9).

## PROMOTION

Sub-Lt.—R. S. Baker-Falkner, to rank of Act. Lt. (seny. June 9).

## ROYAL AIR FORCE

## SQUADRON LEADER T. J. E. THORNTON

The retirement is announced at his own request of Squadron Leader T. J. E. Thornton, of the signals staff, Bomber Command, Cambridge. He was 46 on May 19.

## Ammunition For Poland

DANZIG, June 23 (T/Ocean).—Several ships loaded with war material arrived at Gdynia harbour recently, it was reported here on Thursday in reliable circles.

The Polish steamer Lublin docked recently, it is declared with cargoes of ammunition and weapons and on June 21 the American steamer, Mormacport, discharged a cargo of light tanks, aeroplanes and aeroplane motors.

Several British vessels also attracted attention when they arrived carrying an unusual amount of cargo on board and it could be observed that artillery ammunition and light tanks were discharged, although vessels were unloaded under the cover of darkness.

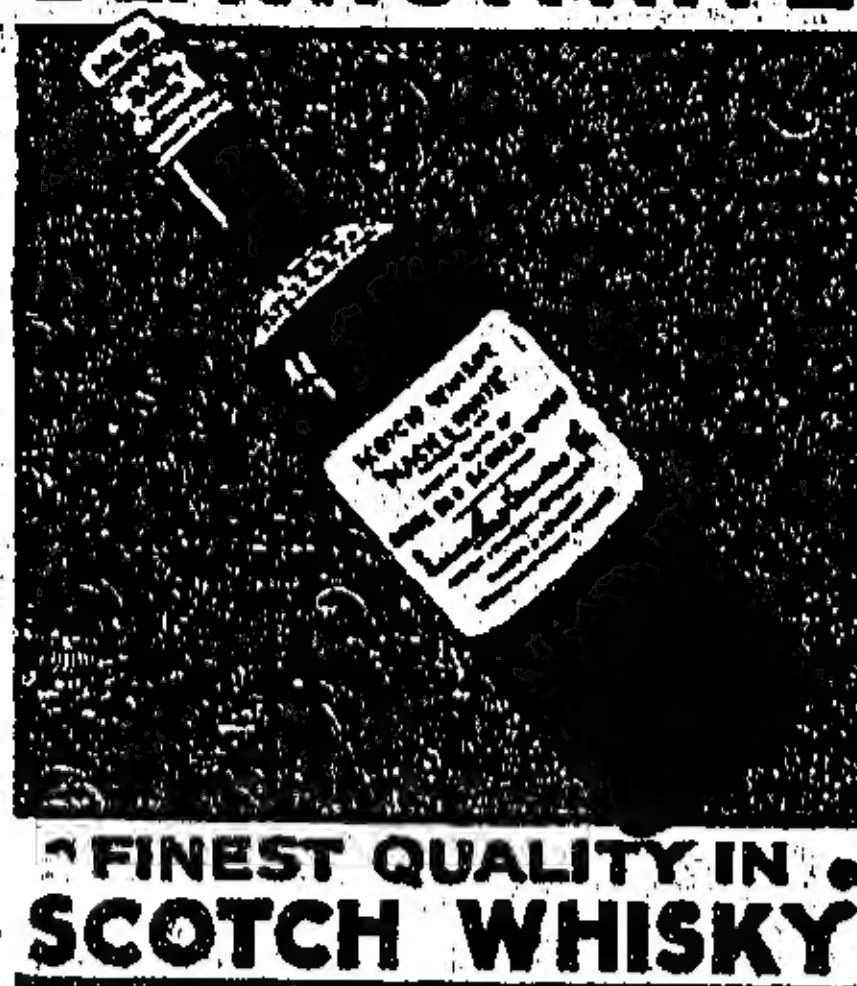
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**LUCILE BALL IN NEW FILM:**  
"TWELVE CROWDED HOURS"

Lucile Ball, whose rise has been nothing short of spectacular during the past year, has been awarded the feminine lead opposite Richard Dix in "Twelve Crowded Hours," which goes into production at RKO Radio soon.

The cast also will include such well-known players as John Arledge, Donald MacBride, Bradley Page and Allan Lane.

First appearing on the screen as a model in "Roberta," Miss Ball later scored outstanding successes as a comedienne, notably in "Stage Door," "The Affairs of An-nabel," "Room Service" and "An-nabel Takes a Tour." Recently she also completed her first dramatic lead in RKO's "Beauty for the Asking."

Robert Blisk will produce "Twelve Crowded Hours" with Lew Landers directing.

Last seen together in important roles in "Hating Wonderful Time," Lucille Ball and Lee Bowman are reunited in RKO Radio's "Next Time I Marry," in which they are seen as a madcap heiress and a fortune-hunting nobleman. James Ellison plays the top role opposite Miss Ball.

### Striking Resemblance

Various persons on the "Persons in Hiding" set at Paramount studio remarked on the striking resemblance between J. Carroll Nash, who portrays a headline criminal in the picture, and his new stand-in.

"He should look like me," Nash explained finally. "He's the kid brother."

Recently arrived from the East, Herbert Nash is a graduate of Fordham, where he played football. He has an ambition to become a screen writer, he said, and knew no better way to absorb studio terminology than by "standing-in" for his actor brother.

## Today's Screenings

### Hongkong

KING'S:  
"Submarine Patrol"  
QUEEN'S:  
"Ice Follies Of 1939"  
ORIENTAL:  
"Zaza"  
CATHAY:  
"We're Going To Be Rich"

### Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:  
"Ice Follies Of 1939"  
STAR:  
"The Shining Hour"  
MAJESTIC:  
"Blackwell's Island"

### Coming

KING'S:  
"The Lady Objects"  
QUEEN'S:  
"Legend Of Mang Keung"  
ORIENTAL:  
"Cafe Society"  
"Border Town"  
CATHAY:  
"My Lucky Star"  
ALHAMBRA:  
"For Love Or Money"  
STAR:  
"You're Only Young Once"  
"Farewell Again"  
MAJESTIC:  
"Soviet Border"

## MECCA FILM

The Government of Bombay has authorised the Bombay Board of Film Censors to permit the exhibition of the film "Mecca" (Haj) produced by an Egyptian Company.

The picture purports to show some phases of Mecca during the Haj period and chiefly deals with the procession of the Egyptian Mehmil (Holy Carpet).

The Government has instructed the Board of Film Censors to arrange for the alteration of the title of the film to "Mecca during the Haj Period" and also for the excision of Sultan Ibn Saud's speech with is considered out of place.

The film was previously certified by the Punjab Board of Film Censors and exhibited in Lahore and other places.

## GOOD FRIENDS

Fred MacMurray has joined the ranks of the Bing Crosby fans, it was disclosed.

MacMurray was working on an adjacent sound stage to the one on which Crosby was working in "Paris Honeymoon." Some one remarked that Crosby was recording a song. MacMurray had a couple of hours free and so he went to the stage to hear Crosby.

And at the end of recording, MacMurray and Crosby agreed on a fishing date.

The two stars became close friends while they were working together in Cecil B. De Mille, Paramount produce "Sing You Sinners."



A Scene from "Soviet Border" which opens at the Majestic Theatre to-morrow

## "THAT URGE TO CREATE SOMETHING": HOLLYWOOD ART DIRECTOR IN MANILA

Paul Youngblood, Hollywood art director, arrived in Manila on June 17 on the Klavness liner Cornville for an indefinite stay. He will be associated with George P. Musser, and producer, and Harry Anderson, Hollywood expert cameraman, in production there.

Considered one of the leading art directors in Hollywood, Mr. Youngblood worked with Frank Capra in the production of "The Lost Horizon." Recently he worked with Howard Hughes in the production of the Columbia picture, "Only Angels Have Wings."

He left work on a Columbia picture in production, Mr. Smith Goes to Washington, starring James Stewart, to visit the Philippines.

"For the past seven years I have wanted to come here," he said on his arrival. "Some years ago I thought I would go to Sumatra with a friend on a picture venture, but the deal fell through and I was not able to come."

### Rousing Welcome

He was given a rousing welcome by his friends in Manila, led by Mr. and Mrs. Musser and Mr. and Mrs. Anderson. A brass band was at the pier while friends waved flags on which were printed "Mahuhay." He is now staying temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson at their residence on Calle Zamora, Santa Ana.

Some months ago he said he saw the Philippine production possibilities of producing there better moving pictures.

Movies in The P. I. He believes moving picture production in the Philippines is in "the stage of Hollywood 20 years ago."

He has been in the moving picture business since 1915, and had worked not only for Columbia Pictures but also for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and for Douglas Fairbanks.

He is not only an art director, but also an experienced prop man. He specializes in producing landscapes in miniature and to scale.

### To Satisfy Urge

In answer to the surprise generally expressed at their coming here, where salaries are considerably much less than those in Hollywood, both Mr. Anderson and Mr. Youngblood explained that they came here to satisfy "that urge to create something."

Mr. Youngblood added that "Hollywood studios are no longer what they used to be, and are now only factories which grind out celluloid entertainment."

## JAMES ELLISON

James Ellison, one of the most popular leading men on the screen to-day, has been signed by RKO Radio Pictures to a long-term contract.

A graduate of the Moscow Art Theatre, Ellison received his first major screen opportunity from RKO. The result was an unusually fine characterization opposite Ginger Rogers in "Vivacious Lady." He scored again in "Mother Carey's Chickens" and more recently completed, with Lucille Ball, "Next Time I Marry."

## STRANGE ARE THE WAYS OF FATE

Strange indeed are the ways of fate.

A few years back, when Dolores Costello was a little girl, it was her privilege to play a couple of minor roles in pictures in which her father, Maurice Costello, distinguished star of the stage and, silent films and once America's outstanding matinee idol, was starred.

Now Miss Costello has returned to the screen after a short absence and played the feminine role in "King of the Turf," an Edward Small production for United Artists release, starring Adolphe Menjou.

And those in the audience who remembered the face of a forgotten star, will see that of Maurice Costello, if they looked close in certain race track sequences, in which the one-time matinee idol works as an extra.

The efforts of two devil-may-care sergeants in the British army to keep a fellow-sergeant from quitting the service, forms the plot of RKO Radio's "Gunga Din," co-starring Cary Grant, Victor McLaglen and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. in a piturisation of Rudyard Kipling's famous ballad.

### Solution No. 342

ACROSS: 1, Stakes; 4, Locust; 7, Determine; 9, Slew; 10, Else; 11, Leper; 13, Noises; 14, Deacon; 15, Friend; 17, Leader; 19, Sepal; 20, Club; 22, Ema; 23, Sepulchre; 24, Endure; 25, Tinged.

DOWN: 1, Season; 2, Knew; 3, Scenes; 4, Limped; 5, Came; 6, Tavern; 7, Delicious; 8, Eucalyptus; 11, Leans; 12, Reveal; 15, Fickle; 16, Murner; 17, Lanet; 18, Roamed; 21, Beau; 22, Erin.

## CROSSWORD NO. 343

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4 Doubter (7)  
8 Give work (6)  
9 Military chief (7)  
11 Having holes (8)  
14 Whelp (3)  
15 Grates (5)  
17 Answer (5)  
18 Black bird (4)  
19 Extreme (5)  
21 Litter (5)  
25 Stone-worker (5)  
26 Slave (4)  
27 Cavities (5)  
28 Airy (5)  
30 Pinch (3)  
32 Fold (6)  
33 Sun shade (7)  
34 Pledged (6)  
35 Penury (7)

DOWN:  
1 Feline animal (7)  
2 Bird (7)  
3 Gift (6)  
5 Cut down (4)  
6 Right (6)  
7 Aspirations (6)  
10 Tempted (5)  
12 Tree (3)  
13 Goats (5)  
16 Low seat (5)  
20 Pick-me-up (5)  
21 Foundation (5)  
22 Keeps (7)  
23 Insults (7)  
24 Vegetable (6)  
25 Threat (6)  
26 Pronoun (3)  
27 Immense (5)  
31 Wine (4)

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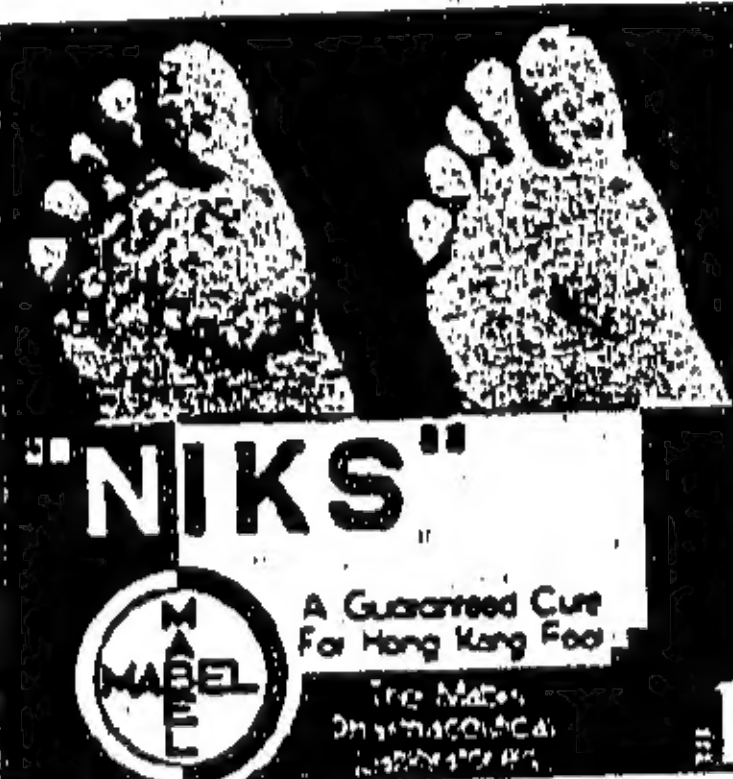
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# WOMEN'S PAGE

## 4 MEN KILLED BY SURGEON IN MERCY

A letter from a "distinguished surgeon," which described how an overdose of morphia was given to four hopelessly injured men to put them out of their agony, was read by Sir James Purves-Stewart, consulting physician to Westminster Hospital, at a London debate recently.

Sir James was stating the case for voluntary euthanasia (easy death) which, he said, was "an act of mercy to a dying person who pleads for it."

The letter read by Sir James said: "Six men were involved in a boiler explosion, and brought into hospital scalded from head to foot. Two were already dead.

The letter described the terrible injuries of the men and continued: "How they could breathe I do not know... They were all unconscious.

"We gave each of them a huge injection of morphia—and did not measure the quantity. One of them took four hours to die. The other three died within the hour."

**DOCTORS "OVERRIDE LAW"**  
After reading the letter Sir James said: "I ask you—was that a crime or an act of mercy?" A roar of conflicting answers came from the audience.

Some shouted "crime" and others "mercy." Earlier Sir James declared that, hidden from the knowledge of the law, many doctors had practised voluntary euthanasia.

"Many of my medical colleagues have already had the courage unobtrusively to act in

accordance with the principles of voluntary euthanasia," he said. "They have deliberately shortened the process of painful dying."

"When the emergency arises many doctors allow their humanity to override their fear of legal risk and of the law as it stands at present."

The question for or against euthanasia was not put to the meeting.

## NEW SCULPTURAL FINDS IN ROME

ROME, June 23 (T/Ocean)—In building an underground railway in Rome, numerous fragments of ancient Roman buildings have of late been discovered again and again, but the first really important archaeological find of this kind has just been made near the Circus Maximus, namely, two marble statues of the late Imperial Era.

The first represents a man accompanied by a dog, both life size, only one arm missing, probably representing Silvan—God of Forests—while the "second" is of a female form, somewhat under life size, the most striking features being a serious facial expression and the wealth of folds in garment worn, from which it is concluded that this figure too is intended to represent some deity.

## NEWSETTES

Mr. D. B. Sparks, Manufacturers Representative, left by the Empress of Russia yesterday for Shanghai.

Mr. Anthony L. Harman, of the Shanghai Power Co., is returning to Shanghai by the Empress of Russia.

Lieut. Charles Eustace Cree, R.N., of H.M.S. Folkestone, left the Colony yesterday by the Empress of Russia for the United Kingdom.

Mr. George E. Cullinan, Jr., of the National Carbon Co., is returning to Shanghai by the Empress of Russia, which left Hongkong yesterday.

Mr. Arnold G. Dewar, of the West Coast Life Insurance Co., is a passenger on the Empress of Russia which left the Colony yesterday.

Mr. D. F. Landale, of Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co., Ltd., is returning to Shanghai by the Empress of Russia, which left Hongkong yesterday.

Mrs. D. F. Landale left Hongkong yesterday, en route to the United Kingdom, via the United States, by the Empress of Russia.

Miss Lorna Lucas, of Messrs. William Hunt and Co., left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday by the Empress of Russia.

Mr. A. Malcolm, Director of Messrs. Malcolm and Co., Ltd., returned from Shanghai yesterday by the s.s. Ranpura.

Mr. I. L. L. Howell, of Bunje and Co., arrived in Hongkong yesterday from the North in the s.s. Ranpura.

Mr. A. K. Grondahl, of the Chinese Maritime Customs, arrived in Hongkong yesterday by the s.s. Ranpura.

Flying Officer B. J. Sandeman, of the Royal Air Force, is a passenger on the s.s. Ranpura. He is on his way to Singapore.

His Excellency the Governor will pay a visit to the St. Louis Industrial School on Monday, June 26, at 10 a.m.

Mr. Arthur H. Chambers, of Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co., Ltd., left Hongkong yesterday by the Empress of Russia for Shanghai. He was accompanied by Mrs. Chambers.

Lieut. Col. Matthew Carr, of the Royal Scots Regiment, and Mrs. Matthew Carr, left Hongkong yesterday by the Empress of Russia en route to the United Kingdom.

Mr. W. E. R. Miller, of the Chinese National Wireless Co., accompanied by Mrs. Miller, is returning to the North by the Empress of Russia, which sailed yesterday.

Mrs. T. C. Monaghan, wife of the Purchasing Agent of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Co., left by the Empress of Russia yesterday en route to Vancouver.

The annual Speech Day of St. Paul's Girls' College will be held on July 14 at 5.30 p.m. Lady Macgregor has kindly consented to distribute the certificates.

Major P. J. McKevitt, of the Manchester Regiment, passed through the Colony yesterday in the s.s. Ranpura on his way to Singapore.

Capt. A. B. Dempsey, of the R.A.M.C., accompanied by Mrs. Dempsey, passed through Hongkong yesterday in the s.s. Ranpura on their way to Bombay.

A luncheon celebration in honour of the birth of Dr. Jose P. Rizal (June 19, 1881) will be held in the Filipino Club, King's Park, to-morrow, at 1 p.m.

His Excellency the Governor will be the guest of honour at the Chinese-American Institute of Cultural Relations Association luncheon at the Hongkong Hotel on Wednesday, June 28.

Colonel George Chrystie, one of the two survivors of the Indian Mutiny, died at Farnham, Surrey, aged 98. Mr. C. J. Palmer, who in British Columbia, is now the only survivor of the Indian Mutiny.

Yang Lien, former Commissioner of Education of Anhwei, who was tried by a military tribunal on a charge of corruption and sentenced to death penalty, was executed by a firing squad on Thursday morning.

The following passengers left Hongkong by the Wosang on June 21: For Shanghai—Mr. and Mrs. A. Gemperle, Mrs. Turbyne, Mrs. J. Moslem and child, Miss L. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. R. Liang, Mr. Cho Kay; For Tientsin—Mr. E. W. Borill; For Chefoo—Mr. d Mrs. Scott and Master Scott.

The Air Raid Precautions Officer announces that an examination in English for Air Raid Wardens will be held in the Council Chamber, Colonial Secretary's Office, on Saturday, July 1, 1939, at 10 a.m. and for Air Raid Warden Instructors on that day and on Sunday, July 2, at 10 a.m. Those who wish to attend are requested to send their names as soon as possible to the Air Raid Precautions Officer, Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong.

Her Majesty the Queen of Annam, accompanied by her two daughters, the Princesses Phuong-Mai and Phuong-Lien, and Prince Bao-Long, arrived in Colombo recently by the French liner President Doumer from the Far East. She is on her way to France to join her husband, the 26-year-old King Bao Dai, who is at present in Paris. The King travelled to Europe by air from Annam.

Friends of Dr. Francis Wei, Principal of Central China College, will be glad to know that he hopes to visit Hongkong at the end of this month. Dr. Francis Wei has just moved his whole College to a city half-way between Kunming and the Burma border. He also hopes to hold entrance examinations for students who wish to enter Central China College this autumn.

The following passengers left in m.s. Bolshevik for North China yesterday: Miss E. M. Bergmann, Miss B. M. Bovey, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Curry and son, Mr. J. E. Davison, Mr. A. G. Forsyth, Mr. W. T. Grey, Mr. F. Janussek, Mrs. E. H. King, Mrs. T. K. King and child, Mr. R. von Lewis, of Menar, Mr. Y. Mukai, Mr. and Mrs. Reimers, Mrs. J. E. Sparks, Miss A. Setzer, Mrs. F. Smallbones, Mr. T. Sugemoto, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Travis, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wolff, Mr. F. M. Wong.

The following passengers left by the m.s. Tilsadane yesterday for North China: Mr. W. Hamberger, Miss I. Bengston, Mr. and Mrs. C. Calm, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Chang, Mr. and Mrs. Chia Wen Tsi and infant, Mr. T. J. Evans, Mr. U. Groddeck, Mr. B. Jones, Mr. W. C. Johnson, Mrs. G. W. Laurrupp, Mr. Lim Bo Kiao, Miss A. O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Schurman, Mr. Schurman, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bellman, Mr. N. Shes, Mr. W. Stewart, Mr. G. O. Drubhart, Mr. D. Wight, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weiser, Mr. A. H. Weiser, Mr. W. Wolf.

## SATURDAY'S MENU

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Pancakes  
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"Folly dripping with sweetness and light this morning, aren't you? Advanced case of hangover, I'll bet a couple of chips. Some of you young fellows haven't enough sense to come in out of the rain."

"That's right. Morally, you hypocrites. I suppose you never woke up with a head as a long as a strip of ancient gummy bag."

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## DUPED BY CHEWING GUM, ESCORT GIRL ALLEGES

### Unemployed Charged With Theft Of Gold Rings

The story of how a girl escort, Lee Yee-wan, of the Hollywood Escort Bureau, was alleged to have been victimised by the effects of chewing gum, which had sent her into a slumber, was revealed at the Central Court yesterday, before Mr. R. Edwards, when Wong Hoi, 22, unemployed, was charged with larceny of two gold finger rings from Lee at room No. 206, Sun Wah Boarding House, on May 23.

Det.-Sgt. E. S. Brooks prosecuted.

Lee Yee-wan, in evidence, stated that defendant gave her a piece of chewing gum, and after blowing a puff of smoke on her face, she became unconscious. She was sitting on a chair when she started chewing the gum, but was awakened by a hotel foki, who found her in a standing position, leaning against the door. The gum, she said, had a peculiar taste. She asked defendant about the peculiarity, who told her it was the best kind. She arrived at midnight and was awakened by the foki at 2.30 a.m. Defendant handed the chewing gum to her about 2 a.m.

#### DEFENDANT CHASED

Gez Mohamed, P.C.B.515, stated that about 11.25 p.m. he was on duty in Des Voeux Road Central near Man Wah Lane, when he saw complainant chasing after defendant, shouting "snatching". He gave chase and arrested defendant at the staircase of No. 85 Lee Yuen Street. He asked complainant what was the matter, and she accused defendant of stealing her ring. He then took the parties to the police station.

Chan Su, Chinese detective, stated that after complainant

made her report he accompanied her to the boarding house and made a search in the room.

On June 21, he took defendant to the two goldsmith's shops, where defendant was alleged to have disposed of the two rings. One was sold at No. 170 Queen's Road East, ground floor for \$12, and the other to the Chan Chuk Kee goldsmith for \$7.28.

Lee Mong, jeweller, of the Wing Long goldsmith, No. 170 Queen's Road East, ground floor, testified that he could not remember the person who sold the ring to him.

#### NOT TRACED

Chan Chuk, of the Chan Chuk Kee goldsmith, No. 3 Circular Pathway, ground floor, stated that he could not trace an entry with regard to a ring which was sold by the defendant.

Chow Keng foki of Sun Wah Boarding House, said that he was asked by defendant to telephone for Lee Yee-wan and she arrived about midnight. About 2.30 a.m. he saw defendant come out of room No. 206 to buy cigarettes and did not return. Witness then saw complainant at the doorway of the room and she told him of the loss of her rings.

At this stage the hearing was adjourned to Monday, at noon.

## JUNK ROBBERY SEQUEL

Charged with armed robbery aboard a junk at Ching Yee Island, British waters, on April 10, five men, Chan Ma-chung, 48, Chan Sui-mui, 38, Chan Kan, 37, Tong Wah, 38, and Lo Ma-chuen, 50, appeared before Mr. Q.A.A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday when they were remanded to appear again before the Court on Monday.

It is alleged that the five men are of a party of several who boarded junk 738V at Ching Yee Island, and robbed Leung Ning, the master, of \$130 and 11 pieces of clothing. The men who had robbed the junk-master were armed with knives.

## TWO CLAIMS FOR POSSESSION OF PREMISES

In the Summary Court yesterday, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell heard two claims for possession of premises.

In the first case, Mrs. To Tsoi Shi, alias Tsoi Yee-koo, claimed possession of No. 5 Thomson Road, ground floor, from Yu Fook-hing, Mr. P. Y. Woo represented plaintiff while Mr. J. M. Hall appeared for defendant.

Yu Fook-hing said he was a plumber and had occupied the premises since January, 1937. His family consisted of 11 persons, and he tried to find other accommodation but without success.

The case was adjourned to June 25. In the other case, Ng Ng Shi, represented by Mr. D. McCallum, claimed possession of No. 176 Kilang Street, ground floor, from Leung Kee, known as the Leung Yuet Electric Company.

Defendant said he rented the floor in April 1934, at \$14 per month. The rent had in February this year been increased to \$27. The premises were used for domestic purposes, there being 33 persons living therein, and he had also four sub-tenants, but part of the floor was used in connection with his business.

Mr. McCallum said plaintiff wanted the premises back because they were held in trust for her two grandsons, who were now living in two cubicles and suffered great hardship.

The case was adjourned till July 31.

#### TRAFFIC CASES

Mrs. Wu Yat Ching, who was represented by Mr. C. Y. Kwan, and who pleaded guilty to a summons for driving without due care and caution in Tai Hang Road on May 25, was cautioned.

Traffic Serat. Clarke stated that defendant was driving in Tong Lo Wan Road and collided with a Sanitary Department van. The damage was slight and the Sanitary Department did not wish to put in any claim.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan said defendant was given a learner's licence in April, and this expired on June 1. She had an experienced driver with her at the time. The speed at which she was driving was about 5 miles an hour.

Doo Kwan Ming, of Nan Koo Terrace, was summoned for driving without due care and caution at Des Voeux Road East and failing to keep to the left.

Insp. Clarke said that the vehicle collided with Dr. Sepher's car when defendant tried to overtake him.

Defendant was ordered to pay \$16 as compensation for damages done to Dr. Sepher's car. He was fined \$15 on the first charge and \$10 on the second charge.

C. J. Encarnacao, of 6B Leighton Hill Road, appeared before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday summoned on a charge of allowing his car to remain longer than necessary in Queen's Road Central, outside Holland House, on May 29. Defendant pleaded guilty and was fined \$5.

Summons on a similar charge, at the same place, C.R. Payne, of 14, Tai Hang Road, was fined \$5, when he pleaded guilty to the charge.

G.W. Murray, 47, Hillwood Road, was summoned for failing to use the part of the roadway which was on the left side of a centrally placed traffic island, on May 22, at Connaught Road Central. A fine of \$5 was imposed.

## INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS

### Splendid Alterations Made To Premises

#### APPEAL FOR SUPPORT

Over 150 members and guests of the Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders were present at a reception held yesterday evening to mark the completion of the extensive alterations to the premises.

The alterations provide much comfort and many facilities as compared with the old building.

Mr. J. Finkle, who presided, addressing the gathering, said that the Institution was one of the oldest organizations in the Colony. Unfortunately the old members had left the Colony and the younger members of the profession had not come forth to support the Institution.

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The speaker added that the Committee were endeavouring to create enthusiasm such as the extensive alterations to the premises, to arrange for a series of lectures on technical subjects in the coming winter and to complete a library of technical books.

The Institution, he said, was at one time the centre of activities of engineers and shipbuilders in the Colony and had done real service to Hongkong. He urged that younger engineers come forward to support the Institution.

Major V. E. Duclos, on behalf of the guests, thanked the hosts and congratulated the Committee on the "tremendous improvements" which he had noticed in the premises. He wished the Institution a prosperous future.

## TRADEMARK CASE AT CENTRAL

### Alleged Selling Of "White Horse"

Leung Chuen, 38, unemployed, and Ho Fat-lin, 23, were charged before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday with possession of dutiable spirit and duty-paid labels, issued by the Import and Export Department, retaining dutiable spirit in Percival Street, and possession of bottles of liquor bearing the registered "White Horse" trademark and selling them as containing whisky, whereas in fact they were not.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton represented Jardine Matheson & Co. Ltd., agent for the White Horse Distillers Ltd.

Actg. Chief Preventive Officer Grimmett said that on information received that "White Horse" whisky was being sold, he gave a watchman of Jardine's to make a purchase. He instructed the Chinese revenue officers to follow him. They arrested first defendant with three bottles of whisky, which was purchased by Messrs. Jardine's watchman.

Second defendant was discharged. Leung Chuen was found guilty on all three charges, but an additional charge of infringement of trademark would be preferred at the next hearing on June 28 at 11.3 a.m.

## CHRISTIAN YOUTH CONFERENCE

### Chinese Delegates Leave

Twenty-seven Chinese delegates to the World Christian Youth Conference to be held at the Hague, left in the early hours of yesterday morning on board the Athos II.

At a reception in honour of the delegates on Thursday evening, Gen. Wu Te-chen, former Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, addressed them on behalf of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. He enjoined them to explain to the youth of other countries the present war in China and other Chinese problems from the Christian standpoint.

It is learned that more than 1,600 delegates representing some 50 countries will participate in the Hague conference.

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## TRADEMARK CASE AT CENTRAL

### Alleged Selling Of "White Horse"

Leung Chuen, 38, unemployed, and Ho Fat-lin, 23, were charged before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday with possession of dutiable spirit and duty-paid labels, issued by the Import and Export Department, retaining dutiable spirit in Percival Street, and possession of bottles of liquor bearing the registered "White Horse" trademark and selling them as containing whisky, whereas in fact they were not.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton represented Jardine Matheson & Co. Ltd., agent for the White Horse Distillers Ltd.

Actg. Chief Preventive Officer Grimmett said that on information received that "White Horse" whisky was being sold, he gave a watchman of Jardine's to make a purchase. He instructed the Chinese revenue officers to follow him. They arrested first defendant with three bottles of whisky, which was purchased by Messrs. Jardine's watchman.

Second defendant was discharged. Leung Chuen was found guilty on all three charges, but an additional charge of infringement of trademark would be preferred at the next hearing on June 28 at 11.3 a.m.

## CHRISTIAN YOUTH CONFERENCE

### Chinese Delegates Leave

Twenty-seven Chinese delegates to the World Christian Youth Conference to be held at the Hague, left in the early hours of yesterday morning on board the Athos II.

At a reception in honour of the delegates on Thursday evening, Gen. Wu Te-chen, former Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, addressed them on behalf of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. He enjoined them to explain to the youth of other countries the present war in China and other Chinese problems from the Christian standpoint.

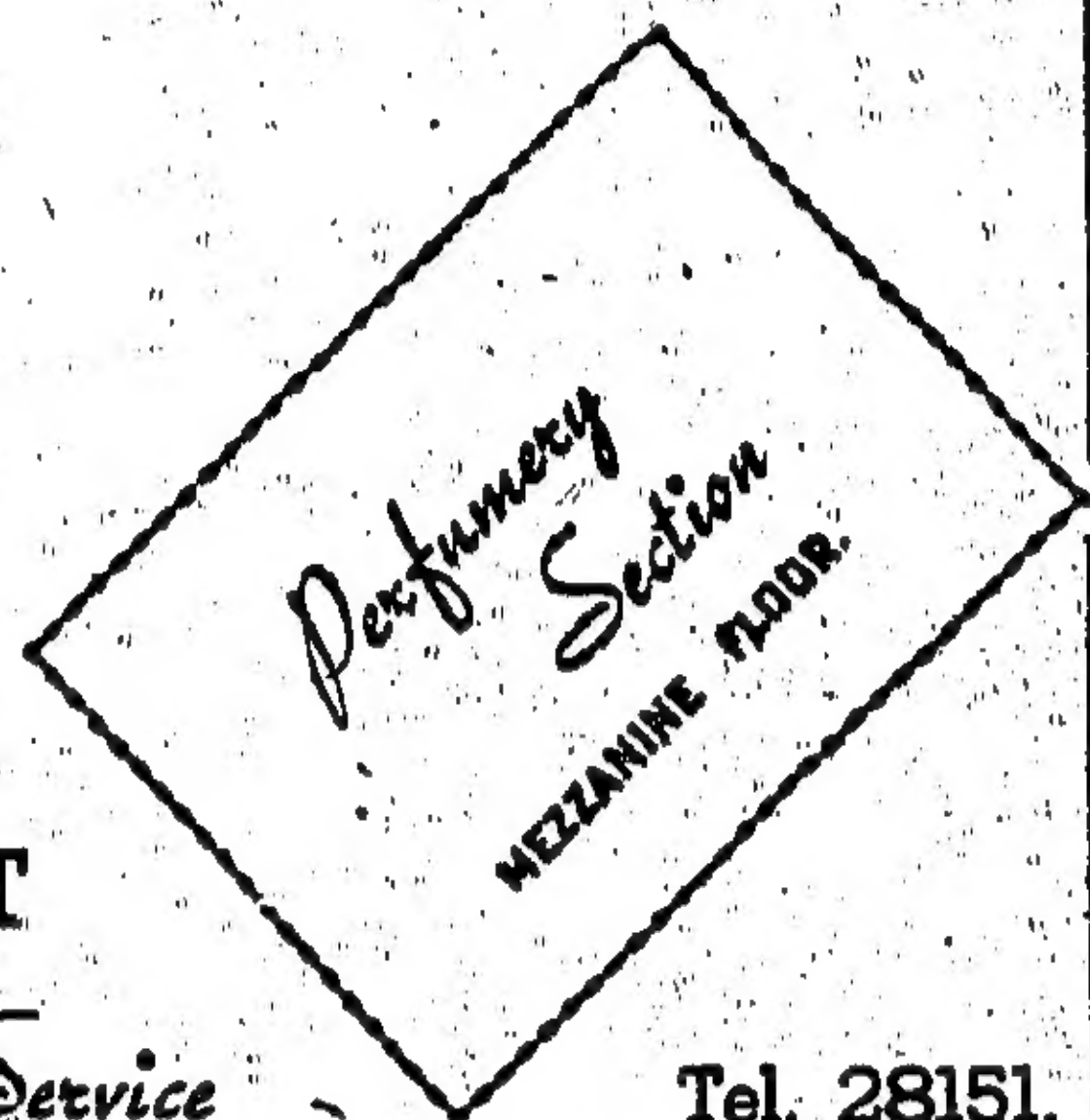
It is learned that more than 1,600 delegates representing some 50 countries will participate in the Hague conference.

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## STAR FERRY WHARF NEW OFFICE

Passengers from Kowloon by the Star Ferry boats have noted something unusual. As they enter the waiting room on the wharf, they direct a hurried glance at a clock, and the clock is not there.

The clock, they discover, has been removed somewhat to the right, and now faces the entrance obliquely. A new office is being built on the wharf, painted as green as any other part of the waiting room, and this is the explanation for the strange mystery of the missing clock.

## ARRIVALS BY S.S. RANPURA

The following were among the passengers who arrived in Hongkong yesterday by the s.s. Ranpura: Mr. J. L. Stewart, Rev. J. J. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sakhrani and child, Mr. Wong Wai-shan, Mrs. Lee Wong-yuk, Mr. and Mrs. L. Nielsen and child, Mrs. L. Koyce, Mrs. C. R. Andrews, Mrs. V. Y. Doo, Dr. S. Sze, Dr. W. H. Yen, Mr. A. E. Andrews, Mr. A. A. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kennedy and children, Mr. F. O. Kwong, Mr. R. T. Li, Mr. H. Y. Lo, Mr. M. A. Mihaleff, Mr. M. Osumi, Mrs. E. H. Peley, Miss M. Peley, Mr. S. Y. Dong, Mr. Sung Yee, Miss P. Thomson, Mr. Tohoo Fong-tshang, Mr. Z. N. Sung and Mrs. Tyrtoff.

## AIRPORT NEWS

Imperial Airways:

#### NORTHBOUND

Monday: Bangkok, Hanoi, Hongkong.

Dorado, Delphinus—4 & 5 p.m.

#### SOUTHBOUND

Tuesday: Hanoi, Bangkok, Delta—7 a.m.

Air France:

#### NORTHBOUND

Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hongkong.

Service—12.30 p.m.

Pan American Airways:

#### EASTWARD

Wednesday: U. S. A., Manila, Hongkong.

China Clipper—2 p.m.

#### WESTWARD

Thursday: Manila, U.S.A.

China Clipper—8.30 a.m.

## TONGUE-PAINTED PICTURES

### Exhibition At St. John's Cathedral Hall

An exhibition of Chinese paintings by Huang Kuan, the extraordinary painter who paints with his tongue, is being held at St. John's Cathedral Hall to-day and on Monday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and to-morrow (Sunday) from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. in aid of the war refugees.

There are more than 35 paintings on view, practically all of which were painted with the tongue. There are two landscapes painted by dragging the ink over the paper with a spoon, and another plant study painted with finger.

According to Mr. Luis Chan, who is in charge of the exhibition, painting with the tongue requires absolute concentration and inspiration. This type of work differs greatly from the ordinary brush painting and requires broadness of treatment; hence the artist paints mostly on silk flowers and plants in a special kind of ink which is over 60 years old, and which is also used for treatment by Chinese doctors.

## BENCH COMMENDS TWO YOUTHS

Ho Hon-min, 17, left the Chatham Road Children's Playground on the morning of June 21 with a pair of shoes which fitted a boy much smaller than himself. He was taken in custody, and yesterday he appeared on a larceny charge before Mr. E. Himsworth.

Two youths Lei Chi and Lei Kam-wing who were responsible for the arrest, were commended by the Magistrate for their prompt action. Also, they were awarded 50 cents each from the Poor Box.

## COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Fifty-seven cases of tuberculosis and ten cases of cholera were notified to the Health Department on June 22, in addition to nine cases of dysentery, eight cases of enteric fever, two cases of measles and one case of puerperal fever.

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## By J. MILLAR WATT

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## CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM

CONSTRUCTIVE criticism, in whichever direction it is levelled, is always welcomed. As such, the criticism which the Rev. J. R. Higgs, in his address to the Rotary Club on Tuesday, offered, regarding the town planning amenities of Hong Kong, apart from the fact that his views have been readily endorsed by all those who are interested in the well-being of this Colony, must be accepted in the right spirit in those quarters which are responsible for making Hong Kong a pleasant and happy place in which to live. Mr. Higgs made no exaggerated statement when he declared that there is practically no town planning in Hong Kong. A visitor to this city recently described it as a "haphazard jigsaw puzzle," thus endorsing Mr. Higgs' views as to the need for organized method in construction and lay-out not only from an aesthetic point of view, but also on the ground of health and safety.

MR. HIGGS laid all the necessary emphasis that was required in regard to the lack of open spaces and parks, the filthy condition of our streets, the unsightly buildings erected without respect to position and orderliness, chimney smoke and many other aspects, which, as he said, have earned for Hong Kong the name of being a dirty city. A wag once remarked that Hong Kong "only looks beautiful at night from the deck of a steamer homeward bound." Nothing more that can be said here, therefore, can lay more stress on the urgent need there is for the town planning authorities, in co-operation with the Health Department, to bestir themselves in an organized effort to make such radical changes that will make this city just as beautiful to behold in daylight. Our littered streets and pavements, which provide sleeping accommodation for vagrants and destitutes and space for hawkers to display a wide range of goods ranging from clothing to food-stuffs, are also used for the purpose of drying woodpulp, orange peel and a bewildering conglomeration of germ-bearing articles and products. Street washing is a rare event and street sweeping most perfunctory.

THE NAMING of streets and the numbering of houses at present is definitely puzzling to the visitor and even

## CORRESPONDENCE

### WORKING ARTISTS GUILD

[To the Editor of the "Hong Kong Daily Press"]

Sir,—You have always been so kind in finding space to refer to our various activities that I hope you will allow me to draw the attention of your readers to the fact that, in these troublous times, we have amongst us distinguished artists who are thoroughly qualified as teachers, and to whom the use of our studio is all that is needed to make a beginning of one of our objects—a permanent School of Art with a responsible principal. Also there are many valuable old pictures drifting about and in danger of destruction that might make a nucleus of another of our objects—the formation of a public collection.

Unfortunately, though we have always aimed at paying our way, our rent has twice been raised, and our slender finances will not allow us to incur new obligations. If we have to depend entirely on the fluctuating support of a shifting community of artists.

Mrs. L. Dunbar, with whom I was recently discussing our problems, with that sympathetic practical imagination which has benefited so many hundreds of women and girls in the Colony, suggested the scheme of our opening a list of "Subscribing Members," who would undertake to pay two dollars a month for these public objects. All such subscriptions will be acknowledged in the Press, and may be paid in advance. I have been much encouraged by receiving a letter from Mrs. Dunbar inaugurating the scheme in which she says:—"I am sending you a cheque for \$24, representing a year's subscription of \$2 a month, to the Hong Kong Working Artists Guild. I am sure that a great many other people will think as I do in wanting to support your Guild not merely to help the Artists of Hong Kong, but to give the rest of us the benefit of the Artists' presence in the Colony. Wishing you all success in obtaining Subscribing Members, I am most sincerely, Elsie Dunbar."

I feel sure that if the public realised what good value in human and artistic encouragement their money could ensure, there would be many people who would follow Mrs. Dunbar's example.

Communications and cheques should be sent to our Hon. Secretary, Mr. E. O. Cernic, No. 15, A Block, Kennedy Road.

Thanking you in anticipation,  
IRENE M. A. MACADYEN,  
President.

### PEPPER THROWN IN EYES

A 25-year-old shop assistant, Ho Yik-shan, was beset by robbers who threw pepper in his eyes and relieved him of \$14 yesterday about 6.15 p.m. in the vicinity of the side door of No. 104, Thomson Road, Wanchi.

The robbers departed in the direction of Johnston Road.

Residents of long standing have expressed themselves at a loss to account for the negligent manner in which this aspect of town planning has been treated. Streets are named at present with a complete disregard to continuations, limits and divisions, while the numbering of buildings merits complete replacement by a more orderly and systematic plan. Appropriately enough, at Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council, a Town Planning Ordinance was passed and became law. The ordinance was introduced for the purpose of promoting "the health, safety, convenience and general welfare of the community, by making provision for the systematic preparation and approval of plans for the future lay-out of existing and potential urban areas, as well as for the types of building suitable for erection therein." Here, then, the authorities have a legal instrument which can be used effectively to bring about better amenities for this Colony in the matter of town planning than exists at present. The sooner action is taken on this newly introduced ordinance, the sooner will this city attain a standard in keeping with its importance as valuable and vital outpost of the British Empire.

## NOON HARBOUR RESCUE

### Woman Jumps From Electric Star

#### PUN YU REFUGEE

An alleged attempt at suicide by a pretty hopped-haired Chinese girl, Yu Wan, by jumping into the harbour off the Star Ferry launch Electric Star shortly before noon yesterday, was thwarted by the prompt action of a sailing-vessel master, Leung Ng-au, 29, who dived to rescue the drowning girl.

She was pulled into the boat, No. 316V, and then taken on board the ferry launch where a European doctor administered first aid. The Electric Star was on the Kowloon to Hong Kong trip when the incident occurred.

Yu Wan, who is 20 and unmarried, is now at the Kowloon Hospital. She is a refugee from Pun Yu district, and it is believed that exhausted funds, and despair as to the future, drove her to the attempt on her life.

## No More Short Wave Broadcasts

Colombo's short-wave transmitter functioned for the last time recently.

This transmitter, which incidentally is an entirely locally built one, will now be reconditioned and brought into use as a stand-by for the regular medium-wave service.

There is a possibility that it may be occasionally used for simultaneous broadcasting till such time as the new 10-kilowatt transmitter is erected.

It is interesting to note in this connection that Colombo's single broadcast transmitter now in use is in operation for eight hours daily, and though little time is available for maintaining the apparatus there have been no faults or interruption in the transmission of programmes.

It will be recalled that the decision to abandon short-wave transmissions in Ceylon, as was announced a few months ago, was in accordance with the recommendation of the Plymouth Sub-Committee on the Development of Colonial Broadcasting.

It was considered that radio development in Ceylon should primarily make use of the medium wave, as short-wave broadcasts were of little benefit to the local listener.

ALWAYS EXPERIMENTAL  
The fact that short-wave broadcasting in Ceylon has always been an experimental transmission, has generally been lost sight of by the average listener.

The transmitter which is now discontinued was brought into use on June 6, 1935, and has been in use since, broadcasting on a wave length of 48.7 metres.

Favourable reports of reception of Colombo broadcasts on these transmissions have been received from outside Ceylon.

The discontinuance of short-wave broadcasts does not mean that Ceylon will in future not be heard in other countries. Medium wave broadcasts from Ceylon can always be picked up by South Indian listeners, while they could be picked up even further afield under favourable conditions.

As a matter of fact a report of medium wave reception from Ceylon has been received from as far off as New Zealand.

### INDIAN MERCHANT FAREWELLED

#### Mr. Pritam Going On Holiday

In the roof dining room of the Gloucester Hotel yesterday a group of intimate friends attended a tea party in honour of Mr. Vaswant Pritam of the Colony who leaves to-day with his family for six months' holiday in Bombay.

Mr. S. S. Manak, acting as spokesman for the group, addressed the guests. "Mr. Pritam, as you all know, is a prominent Indian merchant here and we are all very proud of him. He is most popular amongst his friends of all nationalities and is very much loved and respected by all. He is President of the Hong Kong Hindu Association and Vice-President of the K.I.T.C. His generosity is well known and he has frequently helped several institutions financially. I wish him and his family 'bon voyage' and a very happy holiday and a safe return to this Colony."

Mr. Pritam and his family depart for the south at noon to-day in the P. & O. Ranpara.



Mr. H. O. Hans Hommel and his bride, formerly Miss Maria Renate Friedmann, after their marriage at the Union Church, Hongkong, yesterday afternoon.

## FAR EASTERN CURRENCIES DISCUSSED

### Japan's Gold Near Exhaustion

#### CHINESE DOLLAR

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter).—Far Eastern currencies are lengthily discussed by financial writers who are generally agreed that the recent depreciation of the Chinese dollar, combined with the crisis in Tientsin, severely shook the confidence in China resulting in flight from the dollar, hence drastic restrictions were necessitated.

City bankers, however, told Reuter that they entirely discredited rumours that the Stabilization Fund was unduly strained and some believe that the control is still playing a farsighted game designed to squeeze out speculators.

"The Times" says the problem of controlling exchange currency in China in the existing circumstances are incomparably more complex than that met by exchange controls in other parts of the world. The surprise is that China is able to preserve her currency exchange in the face of such obstacles without even more drastic restrictions.

"Financial News" says that reinforcement of the existing Japanese restrictions does not surprise Far Eastern circles in London where it is believed that Japanese gold on foreign exchange is rapidly nearing exhaustion. Introduction of the licence system for repatriation of Japanese banknotes causes wide interests.

It is believed that Japan is actually conniving at the growth of the unofficial market in yen hoping to stimulate invisible exports, for example tourist traffic, by encouraging the use of depreciated yen.

## MONGOL ALLEGIANCE TO CHINA

### CIRCULAR TELEGRAM ISSUED

YULIN, NORTH SHENSI, June 23 (Central).—Allegiance to the National Government is pledged in a circular telegram issued yesterday by 500 Mongol families whose hereditary duty is to protect the remains of Genghis Khan, the famous Mongol monarch and conqueror.

The telegram says that after the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, the Yeghe Jo League, in Sulyuan, which has no military significance, has been repeatedly bombed by Japanese planes. Particularly heavy havoc was wrought by the Japanese airmen at Kungyichao and Tsoerhmlao, where the Mongol temples were wrecked and large numbers of casualties were inflicted.

The telegram alleges that the Japanese recently planned to seize the remains of Genghis Khan in the belief that their possession would win the support and allegiance of all the Mongols who are descendants of the Great Khan.

To forestall the Japanese scheme the royal remains were therefore removed from Etsinhoro to a place of safety, this being done with the approval and assistance of the National Government.

## U.S. Concern With War In China

### AMERICAN ENVOY INTERVIEWED

CHUNGKING, June 23 (Central).

The American people are greatly concerned with the war in China and have a better understanding of Chinese problems than before, declared Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, American Ambassador to China, in an interview following his arrival here.

Mr. Johnson said that when he was in New York during his recent furlough, he was visited daily by an average of 130 people who inquired about the war situation in China. He was also called on by many people interested in the China War at other places.

Overseas Patriotism  
Mr. Johnson praised the patriotism of the overseas Chinese in the United States. He said that they continued to support their country despite the loss of Canton and Hankow.

While in New York, he said, he was honoured at a dinner by a group of Chinese youths who have been actively doing propaganda work for China in America.

The American Envoy, who travelled here by highway via Kunming and Kweichow, paid a high tribute to the progress of highway construction and administration in China.

## MUNICIPAL WORKSHOP MYSTERY

### Valuable Machines Missing

The mysterious disappearance of valuable equipment from the Workshop of the Colombo Municipality was discovered recently in the course of a surprise check.

The value of the equipment discovered missing is said to run to several thousand rupees.

The losses include a drilling machine and an electric welding machine.

How these heavy fixtures were spirited away is not known, but according to the stock books the missing articles should be at the workshop and this fact, it is learned, is confirmed by the report of the annual audit inspection.

As the discoveries made have roused the suspicion of the authorities a careful check of the stock at the workshop is now being made.

## UNPRECEDENTED U.S. ARMY BILL

WASHINGTON, June 23 (Reuter).

The House of Representatives has sent to the Senate the \$293,000,000 Supplemental Army Appropriation Bill, after rejecting a Republican amendment which would have reduced, by 1,283 planes, the proposed expansion of the Army Corps to 5,500 planes.

The Bill would make appropriations and contract authorizations hitherto voted for the Army and Navy at this session to \$1,782,000,000—an unprecedented figure for peace time.

Mr. W. L. Kinloch, Managing Director of Kinloch and Company, Singapore, sustained a fractured leg when the Centurion, Imperial Airways flying boat recently met with an accident and sank while being berthed on the Hoogy River, eight miles from Calcutta.

## Hello & Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

The "travel calendar" of the week-end states that Lloyd Triestino's Conte Biancamano will be in port on Sunday, and the F. and O. steamer "Chitra" will sail out for Shanghai, Monday morning.

The blonde "movie queen" Gloria Stuart has come and gone by the m.v. Athos II, and the goings-on in Swatow are occupying plenty of space and much talk. However, people have been coming in and going out of our city in large batches.

### Imperial Airways

FRIDAY, 7 and 7.30 a.m., the "Denebola" and "Delphinus," respectively, went dashing out to Bangkok; Captain J. N. Wilson back on the job; and Captain L. J. M. White supervising the other plane.

Off for a vacation, and flying too went Miss Isabel Pestonji. She will visit Bangkok and then proceed to Singapore. The number one secretary in the local Imperial Airways office will be returning within two weeks, probably by steamer. We wonder about this Singapore visit, two calls in a year!

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mott, the round-the-world-air travellers, departed on their second leg of the 25,000 miles journey. After leisurely stop-overs in India and Europe they finally land in Marseilles where they will embark on a Pan American Clipper for New York.

Captain Joe Davies, also departed on this service, but he was playing plutocrat, travelling as a passenger! The popular and "plumy" Captain will wait in Bangkok for the arrival of the "Dardanus," a plane of the same design as the present craft on the Hongkong-Bangkok run, which he will fly to the Colony. This ship will be used hereafter on the service. First Officer Harvey, a new-comer to our midst, will assist Captain Davies on the flight; however, he will not be attached to this run but for the one trip, another co-pilot is on his way to take over the duties.

### Pan American Airways

THE HONOLULU CLIPPER got under way for San Francisco, via Manila, Thursday, 8.40 a.m. And off to Manila, business, of course, went the one and only General Morris A. Cohen. Attired in the latest of fashions for males, he was quite excited over his forthcoming air journey!

Vacation, bound, were Mrs. E. Soldinski and her daughter Miss Norma Soldinski. Waving an energetic goodbye to "papa" who is left behind, tending to the engineering work of China National Aviation Corporation's flying transports, they were off for San Francisco. Across the United States these ladies will travel via rail to Florida, there embarking on a Pan American Airways airliner for their holiday destination, Bermuda. What a trip!

Business calls Mr. Samuel Howard, of Thornycroft and Co., Ltd., to Manila, and the quickest way of getting there, was by air, so by Honolulu Clipper he went on Thursday, a.m.

### Empress of Russia

THE BAND WAS playing—a sheet of coloured confetti hung over the side of the ship, and hordes of goodbye wishers, with upturned faces, attended the departure of the Empress of Russia for Vancouver, via Shanghai, Friday, at the early hour of 7 a.m.

Lorna Lucas was on board, but not at the ship's rail at such an hour. The Shanghai lady, one of the popular twins, has been "under the weather"—not feeling at all well and she is journeying to the North for a short stay and change of climate.

Bound for Kobe was Mr. F. H. Swayne, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and we did not see his bright smile from the steamer's rail, so early in the morning!

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Landale, executive of Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., will journey to Shanghai together. In this port they bid each other adieu, Mrs. Landale continuing by the Empress of Russia to Canada, crossing the country, then sailing the Atlantic for home in London.

Mrs. A. L. Harman has had a wonderful visit in the Colony and now returns to her health and kin in Shanghai. Many friends were sorry to see her visit end.

Gay and excited were Mr. and Mrs. T. F. R. Waters and their family. These nice travellers are members of the Asiatic Petroleum Co. and are off for a grand vacation. They will traverse the popular Canadian route on their way home to England!

Mrs. T. O. Monaghan, whose husband is connected with the Canadian Pacific Railroad Co., was booked for a trip to Vancouver.

However, we were unable to spot the lady!

And other popular gentleman who did not put in an appearance at the departure hour of the previous evening was Sir Frederick Maze, of Shanghai.

### s.s. Ranpara

THERE WAS a small passenger list on the s.s. Ranpara when she arrived from Shanghai, Thursday, 5.30 p.m.

Mr. A. Malcolm, of Malcolm and Co., comes down from Shanghai on a business tour.

And just for the trip, and a holiday, arrives Mr. C. A. Tyriff whose family is connected with the Western Electric Co. in the Bay, Shanghai city.

Dr. W. K. H. Yen, also from the Northern metropolis, was welcomed by a large delegation of friends and relations. The doctor's visit is a combination of business and relaxation.

Two genuine American tourists who arrived for a ten-day visit are Mrs. B. H. Pettley and her pretty daughter Miss Mary Felley. These visitors call home, Seattle, and they will continue their journey Sydney by the s.s. Nankin, where they visit relations connected with the Goodyear Rubber Co.

### President Cleveland

OUT FOR MANILA sailed the President Cleveland, Friday, 4 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bergen have been on a business and pleasure tour and now they are returning home to Manila. This gentleman, well-known throughout the Philippines has his fingers controlling the gold, tobacco and film industry in the south.

Rev. Thomas A. Omella, connected with the Maryknoll Order, in on a vacation, and will be returning soon.

Searching for quiet rest and distraction from his sorrow due to his recent bereavement was Dr. C. H. Burton who, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. E. D. Taylor, are making a short visit to Manila.

Business demands the presence of Mr. D. E. Sanderson. This executive of the Standard Vacuum Oil Co. journeys to Manila for a visit and business conferences.

## "UNAVOIDABLE"

### Japan Rejects Joint Note On Kulangsu

TOKYO, June 23 (Reuter).—The recent joint note sent by the British, French and American Consuls on the acute shortage of foodstuffs in the International Settlement at Kulangsu was rejected in a written reply from the Japanese Consul-General in Amoy who describes the shortage as "unavoidable."

## COMING EVENTS

June  
24—Midsummer Day.  
Hills: 8.15 a.m. and 2.45 p.m.  
L: 8.12 a.m. and 2.10 p.m.  
Sunrise 5.40 a.m. Sunset 7.16 p.m.  
Exhibition of Chinese Paintings, Cathedral Hall, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
St. Mary's Church, Tai Hang.  
Charity Bazaar, 11 a.m.  
Y.M.C.A. Picnic, launch leaves Kowloon Police Pier 2.30 p.m.  
25—Tides: High 4.10 a.m. and 4.07 p.m. Low 10.08 a.m. and 10.02 p.m.  
Y.M.C.A. Discussion Grp. Speaker: Rev. J. R. Higgs "The Bible Today" 9 p.m.  
Rural Celebrations, Filipino Club, Kowloon Park, 1 p.m.  
Exhibition of Chinese Paintings, Cathedral Hall, 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.  
26—Crown Land Sale 3 p.m.  
Water Polo League Starts.  
Y.M.C.A. Whist Drive 8.30 p.m.  
H.E. the Governor to Visit St. Louis Industrial School 10 a.m.  
Exhibition of Chinese Paintings, Cathedral Hall, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
La Salle College Old Students' Mtg. 7 p.m.  
27—Y.M.C.A. Bridge 10 a.m. Badminton 8.30 p.m. Mxd. Swimming 1.30 p.m.  
28—H.E. the Governor to speak at Mtg. of Sino-American Cul. Assn. H.K. Hotel, 1 p.m.  
H.E.S.P.O.A. Annual Mtg. Jardine's Board Room 5.30 p.m.  
Y.M.C.A. Moonlight Picnic 9 p.m.  
Social morning with Makong 10 a.m.  
29—Y.M.C.A. Beginners' Mahjong 10 a.m.  
Legislative Council Mtg. 2.30 p.m.  
30—H.E. Mtng. 1.40 a.m. Mtg. 11 a.m.  
Y.M.C.A. Mxd. Swimming 8.30 p.m.  
Badminton 8.30 p.m.  
Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class 10 a.m.



# "WELCOME HOME:" KING & QUEEN GET ROUSING RECEPTION

## Crowd Of 50,000 People: Mighty Roar Of Cheers MEMORABLE TOUR ENDS

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—The most tumultuous welcome of all awaited Their Majesties the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace, on their return from their tour.

Many people had waited since 8.30 a.m., when the Princesses left the Palace, while others swept in a mass past the police cordons until it was estimated that 50,000 were investing the building.

The chant "We want the King," swelled to a mighty roar when the King and Queen and the Princesses appeared on the balcony at 6.16 p.m. The King saluted and the Queen waved in acknowledgment of wave on wave of cheers throughout the four minutes of their appearance.

The crowds, however, refused to disperse until Their Majesties had appeared again on the balcony. Their Majesties, who were dining, were unable to respond to the clamorous cries until 8.30 p.m. when the King in evening dress and the Queen in an attractive and flowing evening dress appeared and stayed for five minutes acknowledging the cheers which reached a crescendo when the Queen blew a kiss and retired.

Mr. Chamberlain, who arrived to see the King at 9.20 p.m. was hardly recognized by the crowd, whose eyes were intent on the balcony, hoping for another appearance of Their Majesties.

## ADDRESS OF LOYAL WELCOME

### TRIBUTES PAID IN COMMONS

LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—"I think it is no exaggeration to say that the demonstration of loyalty and affection by the crowds which flocked together to welcome Their Majesties at every point on their journey exceed the utmost expectations," declared Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in the House of Commons yesterday, in moving a humble address to the King, assuring him of the loyal welcome of the House of Commons on his return from his American tour.

#### Personal Affection

"Thanks to the efforts of the press, the radio and the news reels, we have been able to follow every detail of Their Majesties' visit, demonstrated in a most impressive manner, not only significant of the Crown to the British Commonwealth of Nations, but of how loyalty to the Crown, in an abstract sense, has been translated into a personal feeling of affection.

"When Their Majesties crossed into the United States, the magnificent welcome they received from the President and the American people again out-distanced all precedents.

"I can speak for the people of this country when I say that we have all been profoundly moved by the warmth of this greeting, which we acclaim as a personal tribute to Their Majesties and as a striking proof of the sympathy and friendship which animates the feeling of the people of the United States and of the United Kingdom.

Mr. Greenwood said that the visit of Their Majesties to the United States had opened a new chapter in the relations between the United Kingdom and the American Republic. It had proved that blood was thicker than water and it had proved even more—the brotherhood of peoples who lived under flags of freedom and democracy. (loud cheers)

The motion was carried and a similar motion was also passed in the House of Lords.

#### LONDON SUNSHINE

In contrast to Southampton's drizzle, the sun shone in London for Their Majesties' arrival in Waterloo in the middle of the rush hour at 5.20 p.m.

A few minutes before their arrival, the Houses of Parliament adjourned in order that members might watch the procession from Parliament Square.

Here, and along the whole processional route, the crowds were so dense for hours before their arrival that messengers with heavy parcels were caught unawares and were unable to proceed with their burdens and had to be rescued from their predicament by the sympathetic police.

The ceremony attaching the reception at Waterloo was very brief. The King talked with Mr. Neville Chamberlain and accompanied by Queen Elizabeth and Queen Mary passed along the line of Cabinet Ministers and members of the Diplomatic Corps, having a special word for Mr. Joseph Kennedy, the American Ambassador.

#### Circular Journey

Their Majesties made a circular journey to Buckingham Palace in an open landau, with the Sovereign's Escort, and smilingly acknowledged the tremendous cheering from the packed ranks of sightseers, who waved Union Jacks, the Stars and Stripes and banners inscribed with the words "Welcome Home."

Silk hats and handkerchiefs took the place of waving flags as their Majesties passed the Members of Parliament, who gave them rousing cheers, while the bells of Westminster Abbey pealed a joyful Te Deum.

Salvos of sirens from ships and barges on the River Thames added a strident note to London's welcome, which became momentarily and suddenly hushed when the Royal landau reached the Cenotaph. The King's hand came smartly to the salute and the Queen and Princesses bowed their heads.

Away from the cenotaph, as their Majesties passed under Admiralty Arch for the final phase of their drive to Buckingham Palace, the cheering broke out with renewed vigour and was maintained in a continuous roar until the landau passed through the gates at 5.58 p.m.

#### Happy Event

Their Majesties' luncheon with the Princesses on board the Empress of Britain was one of the jolliest events of the whole voyage and everyone chatted happily about the events of the tour. When the meal was over, coloured balloons, which festooned the dining room were released and dropped out of the portholes to the delight of the crowds on board pleasure steamers and launches that followed the liner.

Amid the roars of the crowd as the Royal liner manoeuvred into her dock—an operation rendered even more delicate than usual owing to the great fleet of yachts and pleasure boats crowding in to get a closer view—could be heard the shrill cheers of 2,000 children representing Southampton's youth organizations.

#### Privileged Children

These children were privileged to have a double view, as after they had seen the liner's arrival, they were transferred to the Canadian Pacific shed whose entrance was transformed with flags and flowers into a boudoir where a number of presentations were made.

The voices of the children again led the cheering as their Majesties drove off along the gaily beflagged streets to the civic centre.

## PLIGHT OF BRITONS IN TIENTSIN

### Premier's Statement And Replies To Four Questions

LONDON, June 23 (REUTER)—ASKED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS WHETHER HE HAD ANY STATEMENT TO MAKE IN REGARD TO THE PLIGHT OF BRITONS IN TIENTSIN, the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, said that arrangements were being examined for remedying the deficiency in perishable foodstuffs in the Concessions where only 10 per cent. of the normal daily supplies were now arriving. Ample stocks of non-perishable commodities, such as flour and rice, were in hand.

Members of the House, added Mr. Chamberlain, would doubtless have seen reports of further indignities to which British nationals have been subjected. The Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, had requested the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigemitsu, to see him in connexion with these incidents, to-day. (Cheers)

#### SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES

Mr. Adams asked if the Prime Minister would inform Tokyo that these indignities, to which our nationals were being subjected, might have serious consequences for Japanese nationals in various British territories throughout the world.

Mr. Chamberlain: Lord Halifax will doubtless make it very clear to Mr. Shigemitsu what we think of these intolerable insults.

Mr. Arthur Henderson sought information regarding Swatow, following the ultimatum.

The Prime Minister replied that he had no official information to-day but newspaper reports made it appear that the Japanese had somewhat withdrawn from the view they held.

#### RETALIATORY MEASURES

Mr. R. A. Pilkington asked whether the Prime Minister would consider putting into effect immediately retaliatory measures.

Mr. Chamberlain: No. I do not think it has got to that stage yet.

The Prime Minister replying to Mr. F. C. Watkins, said he was unable to give, without notice, of the question, the number of Britons at present in Tientsin.

Capt. F. F. A. Helgers asked if the Prime Minister was aware that the temper of the British people was rising and they were entirely behind him when he talked of these intolerable indignities. There was no answer.

## China War:

### SEVERE FIGHTING IN SHANSI

#### INVADERS DRIVEN AWAY

SIAM, June 23 (Central)—Japanese forces north-west of Luifen, in Shansi, were defeated on Tuesday with heavy losses in a northward thrust from Hellung-kwan.

Under the cover of fierce artillery barrage the Japanese pushed to Mingshan, near Puhshien, and succeeded in penetrating the Chinese defences.

In a counter-offensive, the Chinese drove out the invaders who were subjected to serious ambushes on their retreat, sustaining many casualties.

Many civilian houses in that area, were burned down by the Japanese and over a dozen civilians were killed.

The Japanese pushing to the south-east from Taihu have been held at bay west of Wushang, where serious fighting has been in progress, while the column advancing towards Tsinhsien, south-west of Wushang, has been repulsed.

#### Japanese Foiled

YUNGYUN, KWANGTUNG, June 23 (Central)—Seven hundred Japanese infantry and cavalry men at Mahow on the West River, who attempted to cross the river under the protection of two bombing planes yesterday morning, were repulsed by the Chinese.

Two hundred Japanese cavalrymen attempting to cross the river at Mukmin at the same time were also driven back.

#### Fighting Near Wenhsten

LOYANG, June 23 (Central)—Fighting has broken out west of Wenhsten, war-torn town on the north bank of the Yellow River, in northern Honan where the Japanese launching an offensive are encountering firm Chinese resistance.

Japanese reinforcements rushing there have been intercepted by the Chinese on the way.

## PROMINENT HERE FROM SWATOW

### Only Handful Of Foreigners

The Norwegian steamer, Prominent, arrived in Hongkong from Swatow at 7 a.m. yesterday with about 150 Chinese refugees and only a handful of foreign evacuees.

The foreigners who landed here were:

Mr. J. C. Hutchison, Commercial Secretary to the British Embassy; Mrs. K. G. Hobart and three children;

Miss C. Downward, and Miss J. E. Brander.

In addition, a German-Jewish refugee, Mr. Rudolf Kuttner, his wife and two children were on board. The Kuttners were not permitted to land because of an expulsion order made against them recently on account of the fact that their passports were not in order.

British subjects remaining in Swatow number approximately 200, it is learned. The s.s. Yingchow is staying at Swatow to handle evacuation of British subjects decide to leave.

King George of Greece, who as previously reported, will pay a visit to Italy next week in order to attend the wedding of the Duke of Spoleto and Princess Irene of Greece, will arrive in Venice on June 23 aboard the Royal yacht Hellas (T.O.).

## ITALIAN VOLUNTEERS RETURN

BURGOS, June 23 (T/Ocean)—The last of the Italian Volunteers were to embark for Italy on Friday, two Italian ships, Plomonte and Saldana, having arrived at Cadiz on Thursday.



Top picture shows an argument between the Settlement Police and the Ts Tao officials prior to the arrival of a detachment of the East Surrey Regiment. Below, sentries from the East Surrey Regiment posted outside the police station.

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## "MANCHUKUO" PROTEST

TOKYO, June 23 (Reuter)—A Kwantung Army communique alleges that the Outer Mongol and Soviet air forces have been persisting in their provocation against "Manchukuo" and Japanese forces.

It is stated that over a dozen Soviet planes have repeatedly crossed the border since last Monday and bombed various points in "Manchukuo" territory.

A Kwantung Army spokesman said that in Hsinking Soviet and Outer Mongol air forces resumed their activities on June 17.

The Government of "Manchukuo" protested last Monday against the provocations, according to a Hsinking dispatch.

## ANGLO-FRENCH PROPOSALS ARE STILL UNACCEPTABLE TO SOVIET

### INSISTENCE ON SOLID GUARANTEES TO BALTIC COUNTRIES

MOSCOW, June 23 (Reuter)—There was a further meeting at the Kremlin yesterday on the Anglo-Franco-Soviet pact proposals which lasted half an hour. Both M. Molotov and M. Potemkin were present, with Mr. William Strang and the British and French Ambassadors.

It is understood that M. Molotov told the British and French representatives that the new revised proposals are still unacceptable.

In official circles it is believed that the new Anglo-French formula does not go far enough to meet the Soviet's insistence on solid guarantees for the Baltic countries. This does not mean a breakdown in the negotiations.

The upshot of the talks has been communicated to London and Paris and an interval is now likely until fresh instructions arrive.

A message from London states that the report published in Moscow that the latest British proposals did not mark any progress is felt in London diplomatic quarters to be an understatement, as they went very far towards satisfying the principle underlying the Soviet demands, even if they are not absolutely specific in the wording, writes Reuter's diplomat correspondent.

There is a feeling that the Soviet attitude suggests that there may be some other underlying causes than the mere question of formulae, but it is too early to form a real opinion of the explanation.

#### No Continuation

It was never expected that the negotiations would progress rapidly, but they seem destined to be more protracted than was anticipated. In the meantime, no official confirmation reached London that M. Molotov had rejected the British proposals.

It may be necessary for Mr. William Strang to report again before further British initiative can be taken.

PARIS IRRITATION—The continued intransigent attitude of the Soviet Government towards the Franco-British proposals is creating considerable irritation in French political circles, irritation which finds expression in the press. The "Paris Mid" writes that the atmosphere in which the negotiations in Moscow are proceeding has been poisoned by notes, counter-notes and formulas.

GUARANTEES TO SIAM—The extension of the Anglo-French system of guarantees to Siam is considered by "Figaro" on the strength of a report from Singapore to be quite possible. The despatch in question says that the geographical situation of Siam played a considerable part in the Franco-British naval talks held in Singapore. Siam is seen as acquiring growing importance for the defence of Franco-British positions in the Far East.

Praise for the work of Chinese in Malaya on behalf of war-time medical services in China was expressed by Dr. C. C. Wang, special Italian officer attached to the League of Nations and Epidemic Commission, Dr. Wang, who is a brother of Dr. Wang Chung-hui, China's Foreign Minister, passed through Singapore recently on his way to Hongkong.



# PAGE FOR THE CHURCHES

## CATHOLIC NEWS & NOTES

### BLESSING OF THE BOAT: REGIONAL SEMINARY: NEW SALESIAN BISHOP: ANOTHER FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY

To-morrow there will be the annual Procession at the Regional Seminary at Aberdeen, and the blessing of the boats. The small Catholic Church in Aberdeen village is dedicated to St. Peter, who is the natural patron of a church in a fishing village. Every year the feast of the patron is celebrated on the last Sunday in June, as it is near the actual date of the feast, which falls on the 29th.

Since the Regional Seminary was built part of the celebration of the day is a procession through the grounds, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on a specially constructed altar near the water's edge, at the far side of the promontory on which the Seminary stands.

At this same point the blessing of the boats takes place. Many of the boat people are Catholics and they bring their boats around in increasing numbers every year to receive the blessing of the Blessed Sacrament.

A sermon in Chinese is always given on this occasion and the significance of the blessing is explained to them. They are asked to offer their work to God, promising to carry it on in a way that is in conformity with His law, and asking His protection on themselves and His blessing on the success of their work. Blessings of this kind are given in many fishing ports in other parts of the world, the best known being in Brittany, in France, where the custom exists for centuries.

#### Regional Seminary

Mention of the Regional Seminary suggests an explanation of its unusual name. It means that the seminary, or training-college for priests, serves not merely one diocese or vicariate, but a region. The seminary in Aberdeen was built for the purpose of providing a general House of studies for the students of the southern Chinese provinces, and there are there at the present time representatives of many vicariates in the South, especially of those in Kwangtung and Kwangsi.

The reason for bringing together the students of different places in one house is in order that special facilities might be provided for their specialised education. The students who go there have completed all their preliminary studies, which are up to the standard of a full secondary education, and they require to have a knowledge of Latin which will enable them to talk it fluently.

At Aberdeen they spend seven years: three in the study of philosophy and four in that of theology, with special studies in Sacred Scripture, History, Church law, and similar subjects running concurrently. The curriculum of studies for all seminaries is laid down by definite regulations of the Catholic Church and it is substantially the same all over the whole world. It is possible for students speaking different languages or different dialects to do their studies together at Aberdeen or in any other seminary since all the lectures are given in Latin. The professors in all seminaries are required to have made special studies and to have given proof of special aptitude for their work before they are allowed to teach. In Aberdeen the seminary is under the direction of Irish Jesuits.

#### New Salesian Bishop

A priest who is well known to many in Hongkong both through personal contact and through his books has lately been appointed a Bishop in India—Rev. Louis Morrow, until recently Secretary to the Apostolic Delegate to the Philippines. Many people who were in Manila for the Eucharistic Congress had occasion to meet him and had an opportunity of experiencing at first hand his courtesy and calm efficiency. While in Manila Fr. Morrow found time to devote considerable time to organise the promotion of Catholic literature. He founded the Catholic Truth Society of the Philippines and wrote a series of books on religion. The latter deal mostly with explanations of the Catholic Faith in simple language, and one of them, "My Catholic Faith," which is abundantly interested, has spread to many English-speaking countries.

Fr. Morrow is a native of Texas and is of French origin. His actual name is La Ravelle, but, for convenience of working in the United States, he had his name altered and adopted his mother's name instead. An uncle of his M. Rene La Ravelle of Nice, France, is on the Committee of the International Eucharistic Congress which will be held at Nice next year.

Fr. Morrow is a member of the Salesian Congregation, which he joined in Mexico after his family had gone to live there. When he was a young priest working in Puebla his Provincial Superior was appointed Apostolic Delegate to the Philippines and brought Fr. Morrow with him, meaning to keep him for two years. He kept him for sixteen. The new bishop's see is Krishnagar, in India. It is near Calcutta and is in the charge of Salesian Fathers.

#### Another Fiftieth Birthday

Some months ago considerable prominence was given in the news to the fiftieth birthday celebrations of two celebrated men, Adolf Hitler and Charlie Chaplin, which occurred within a few days of one another. Another famous man's fiftieth birthday passed without any publicity, for it was of one who does not court publicity, Oliveira Salazar, the strong man of Portugal.

Dr. Salazar held no military reviews and gave no house-party in honour of the occasion. He went

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### ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

June 25—3rd Sunday After Trinity.

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

8 a.m. Holy Communion in Peak Church.

11 a.m. Matins.

Preacher: Rev. S. Hinchliffe, S. C. F.

3.30 p.m. Evensong.

Preacher: The Dean.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Cathedral, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Children's Service.

Chapel of the Resurrection, Happy Valley, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

Stanley Sunday School Room, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

WEEKDAYS

Holy Communion is celebrated on—

Thursday (St. Peter's Day) and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.

Friday at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese).

Wednesday, Prayers for the sick, at 10.15 a.m.

Daily 12 noon a Special Service of Prayer (Broadcast).

OTHER NOTICES

June 25—10-12.30 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.

4 p.m. Choir Practice, (Boys), Cathedral Hall.

5.30 p.m. Sunday School Teachers' Preparation Class, Dean's Office.

8 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

June 26—5.30 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.

5.30 p.m. Cathedral Scouts Meeting, Scouts Headquarters, Lower Albert Road.

June 30—5.30 p.m. Choir Practice, Cathedral.

The Children's Service and Kindergarten will be discontinued during the months of July and August.

PARADE SERVICE 9.15 A.M.

Voluntary Andante (Rossini), Hymn No. 291, Prayers, Venite, Lesson 3 Luke 15 Vulg., Jubilate, Creed, Prayers, Hymn No. 193, Stanton Hymn No. 300, National Anthem, Benediction, Last verse of hymn 370, Voluntary March (Rossini).

RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

18 JORDAN ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the services for the forthcoming week:

Saturday, 8 p.m.

Sunday, 8.30 a.m.

Monday, July 11—8 p.m.

Tuesday, July 12—8.30 a.m.

St. Peter and St. Paul.

### LESSON SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

SUBJECT—CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science churches to-morrow June 25 will be "Christian Science."

The Golden Text will be:—"Sing, O heavens; and be joyful, O earth; and break forth into singing, O mountains: for the Lord hath comforted his people, and will have mercy upon his afflicted." (Isaiah 49:13).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible:—"If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; Even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him; but ye know him: for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. The stone which the builders refused is become the head stone of the corner. This is the Lord's doing: it is marvellous in our eyes. For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ." (John 14:15-17; Ps. 118: 22, 23; 1 Cor. 3:11).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text-book, "Science and Health with key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:—"In the year 1868, I discovered the Christ Science, or divine laws of Life, Truth, and Love."

The revelation consists of two parts: (1) The discovery of this divine Science of Mind-healing, through a spiritual sense of the Scriptures and through the teachings of the Comforter, as promised by the Master. (2) The proof, by present demonstration, that the so-called miracles of Jesus did not specially belong to a dispensation now ended, but that they illustrated an ever-operative divine Principle and so found to be unerring, until its absolute Science is reached. When this is accomplished, neither pride, prejudice, bigotry, nor envy can wash away its foundation, for it is built upon the rock, Christ." (Pages 107, 123, 483).

ANNOUNCEMENT

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong (a Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass.)

No. 31 Macdonnell Road, close to Peak Tram Station, Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located in the Church Building and is open every morning (except Sunday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m. All authorised Christian Science literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services for the forthcoming week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon:—

Saturday, 8 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.

Sunday, 11 a.m. Divine Service.

Sunday, 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes.

Sunday, 8 p.m. Gospel Service preceded by Song Service at 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 8 p.m. S. A. C. A. Meeting.

Tuesday, 2.30 p.m. Meeting for Chinese amahs.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting.

Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study at 3 Ho Man Tin Street, top floor. All are welcome.

No collection Sunday Evening.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

June 25—4th Sunday after Pentecost.

First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.

Second Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Sunday School for Children at 3 p.m.

June 27, Tuesday:—Our Lady of Perpetual Succour.

June 28, Thursday:—S. S. Peter and Paul. App.

On week days, Holy Mass at 8 a.m.

Confessions are heard every day, before and after Mass.

On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

(CHURCH OF ENGLAND)

SPECIAL EVENING SERVICES

CLUB EXCURSIONS

Sunday, June 25—Third Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. Matins and address at 11 a.m. Preachers: The Vicar.

Evensong and Address at 7 p.m. Preacher: The Vicar.

This will be the second of the Special 50 minute Sunday Evening Summer Services, with popular hymns and short address. The time of these evening services is specially designed for those who go to the beaches but who like to return in time for service.

Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m.

Leader: Miss W. Robinson.

Young People's Service in the Church 10 a.m.

Leader: Mr. R. Baldwin.

Monday, June 26—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.

Fellowship of Youth 8 p.m. St. Andrew's Club 9 p.m.

Tuesday, June 27—Brownie Pack 3.30 p.m.

Boys' Choir Practice 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 28—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.

Wolf Cubs (St. Andrew's) 5.30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Rover Scouts (1st Kowloon) meet at 11 Cumberland Road, Kowloon Tong at 8.45 p.m. Bazaar meeting in the Hall at 8.45 p.m.

Thursday, June 29—St. Peter's Day.

Holy Communion 7.30 a.m. St. Andrew's Boy Scout Troop meet at 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Moonlight Swimming Excursion leaves the Church at 8.30 p.m.

Friday, June 30—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.

Full Choir Practice 8.30 p.m. Toe H. meets in the Chater Room at 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, July 1—St. Andrew's Moonlight Launch Bathing Picnic leaves the Police Pier at 8.15 p.m. All members and friends of the Club and the Church are invited to attend.

CHRIST CHURCH

(Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong)

(Waterloo Road, No. 7 or 8. Bus route)

MATINS

June 25—3rd Sunday after Trinity.

7.15 a.m. Holy Communion.

10 a.m. Matins and Sermon.

6.30 p.m. Evensong.

Kindergarten Sunday School 10 a.m. at 3 Duke St. Junior Sunday School attends the 10 a.m. Service at the Church.

Thursday, St. Peter, June 29—Holy Communion at 7.15 a.m. Ladies' Guild meeting at 100 Waterloo Rd., at 10.30 a.m. Wolf Cubs meets at 3 Duke St. at 4.30 p.m. 6 p.m. Service of Preparation for corporate communion on Sunday July 2.

Friday, June 30—Choir practice at 8 p.m.

Saturday, July 1—Launch picnic, leaving Police Pier at 3.45 p.m. Adults, 80c. Children, 40c.

MANDARIN SERVICES

The Mandarin Service at Christ Church, Kowloon Tong is held every Sunday at 11 a.m.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

June 24—Saturday:—at 3 p.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's C. Y. L. A. At 5 p.m. Meeting of the Third Order of St. Francis.

June 25—4th Sunday after Pentecost:—

8.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in Chinese.

8 a.m. Holy Mass, Sermon in English and Benediction.

10 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in English.

11 a.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's Conference of St. Vincent de Paul.

June 27—Tuesday:—Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour:—Special Mass at 7.15 a.m.

June 28, Thursday: The Solemnity of St. Peter and Paul. Mass as on week-days.

At 7.30 p.m. Social Gathering of St. Teresa's C.Y.M.B. in their hall.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH

The Sailors' home and Seamen's Institute Hongkong

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday next, Trinity 3:—8 a.m. Holy Communion.

8 p.m. Sung Evensong and Sermon.

Preacher: Rev. Charles Strong.

N. B.—The Church is open to the general public.

### ROSARY CHURCH

20, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming Services, etc.

Sunday, June 25—4th Sunday after Pentecost.

At 6.30 Mass with sermon in Chinese.

At 7.30 Mass with sermon in English.

At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Monday, June 26—The Exercises for the Month of the Sacred Heart at 7 a.m. and the Novena in honour of Our Lady of Perpetual at 7.30 a.m.

Tuesday, June 27—Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour.

At 7 a.m. the Exercises for the Month of the Sacred Heart.

At 7.30 a.m. High Mass in honour of Our Lady.

Wednesday, June 28—Exercises for the Month of the Sacred Heart at 7 a.m.

Thursday, June 29—Feast of St. Peter and Paul, App.

Exercises for the Month of the Sacred Heart at 7 a.m.

Friday, June 30—Closing Day of the Month of the Sacred Heart.

At 8.30 a.m. Choral Mass with General Communion followed by the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart and Benediction.

Saturday, July 1—Feast of the Most Precious Blood of Our Lord. On week-days: Mass at 6.30 and 7.30.

At the St. Paul's Chapel (185 Portland Street, Mong Kok):

On Sunday, Mass with sermon in Chinese at 6.15 a.m.

Evening Service with sermon and Benediction at 8 p.m.

Evening Service with sermon and Benediction at 8 p.m.

On Friday, June 30—(Feast of St. Paul) Mass at 7 a.m.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

Queen's Road East, (Opposite the Royal Naval Hospital)

Preachers: Morning—Rev. J. E. Sandbach.

Evening—Rev. E. Moreton.

Junior Church at 9.30 a.m. All children welcome.

Morning Parade Service at 10.15 a.m.

Hymn No. 2, Prayer, Hymn No. 51, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 611, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 680, Sermon, Hymn No. 414, Benediction.

Evening Service at 7 p.m.

Hymn No. 64, Prayer, Hymn No. 715, Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 681, Sermon, Hymn No. 580, Benediction.

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Following the Evening Service a Social Hour will be held at the S. and S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed.

There will be a meeting for Prayer and Fellowship on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m. at the S. and S. Home. The General Committee is meeting at the S. and S. Home on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Causeway.

June 25—4th Sunday after Pentecost.

June 26—5th Sunday after Pentecost. Closing day of the month of the Sacred Heart—Plenary Indulgence.

MORNING SERVICES

1st Mass at 6 with sermon in Chinese.

2nd Mass at 8 with sermon in English.

3rd Mass at 10 with sermon in English.

EVENING SERVICES

At 3.30 Catechetical Instruction At 4 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

June 27—Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Solemn High Mass at 7.30 a.m.

June 28—St. Peter and St. Paul. Apostles Solemn High Mass at 7.30 a.m.

July 1—The Most Precious Blood of Our Lord.

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NO FIRE INSURANCE will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the godown for examination by the consignees and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Ainslie, at 10 a.m. on the 28th June, 1939.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.



## VOLUNTEER ORDERS

ORDERS BY LT.-COL. H. B. ROSE, M.C., COMMANDANT,  
HONGKONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

## RESIGNATION OF COMMISSION

Extract from Government Gazette No. 26 of 16.6.39.  
"No. 480—H.E. the Governor has been pleased to approve that Capt. Alistair Mackenzie be allowed to resign his commission in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from May, 1939. June 16, 1939."

## APPOINTMENT

Extract from Government Gazette No. 26 of 16.6.39.  
"485—H.E. the Governor has been pleased to approve the following appointment in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from May, 31, 1939:—Dr. Alberto Maria Rodrigues, M.B., B.S., to be Lieut., June 16, 1939."

## PARADES

**1st Battery**  
June 27, Belchers, 5.45 p.m. No. 1 Gun and D.R.F. Class, Gun drill and D.R.F. Dress—Overalls, S.D. caps and gun platform shoes.  
June 30, Belchers, 5.45 p.m. No. 2 Gun, D.R.F. Class and Lewis gunners. Gun drill, D.R.F. and Lewis gun instruction. Dress—Overalls, S.D. caps and gun platform shoes.

**2nd Battery**  
June 26 and 29: Scandal Point, 5.30 p.m. Those detailed for Range Takers and Layers' courses. Dress—S.D. caps and overalls.

**3rd Battery**  
June 26 and 28: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Recruits.

**4th Battery**  
June 30, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. All members. Dress—S.D. caps, overalls, gun platform shoes.

**D.E.L. Section**  
June 26, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed. Squad drill.

June 29, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Miniature Range.

**Beach Light Company**  
June 26, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Squad drill.

**Demolition and Works Company**  
June 29: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Preparation of a large bridge for demolition.

June 2, Kowloon Railway Station, 8.30 a.m. Demolition exercise at Bridge 25, Tai Po. Haversack rations will be required. Dress—Optional. Free transportation.

**Corps Signals**  
June 24, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Line and Operating Section. Reconnaissance, Right and Centre Wings.

June 26, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Line and Operating Section. Signal training.

June 30, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. D/R. Section, D/R. training.

**Armoured Car Platoon**  
June 27: A Class, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s Class. Remainder. Hung Hom Railway Depot, 5.30 p.m. Driving instruction.

**Motor Machine Gun Platoon**  
June 30, N.C.O.'s H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Privates. Hung Hom Railway Depot, 5.30 p.m. Riding practice. Efficiency Bonus will be issued to Privates.

**No. 1 M.G. Company**  
June 27, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (1) N.C.O.'s Class. Squad and arms drill. Belts, frog, rifles and bayonets. (2) No. 4 (Troop) Platoon. Trained men. Application of fire—Indirect. Recruits, H.Q. 5.15 p.m. for Kennedy Road Range.

June 30, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Platoons. Trained men. Application of fire—Indirect. Recruits. Stripping and assembling gun and lock.

**No. 2 M.G. Company**  
June 29: H.Q. 5.15 p.m. N.C.O.'s Inspect new positions. Remainder, section drill.

**No. 3 M.G. Company**  
June 26: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. For details see Company circular.

**No. 4 M.G. Company**  
June 30, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. All those not yet fitted with respirators, anti-gas. Recruits, musketry.

**No. 5 M.G. Company**  
June 27, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed. Fire Orders including ration and recognition of targets. Remainder. Mechanism, heads 5-8.

Efficiency Bonus will be paid out at this parade.

**Anti-Aircraft Company**  
June 27, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Immediate action, probable stoppages.

**Field Ambulance**  
June 28, H.Q. (1) N.C.O.'s Class, 5.30 p.m. (2) Remainder, 6 p.m.

**Pay Section**  
June 30, H.Q. 5.30 p.m.

**PROMOTION**  
Spr. T. Armstrong, D. and W. Coy. to be Corp., 23.6.39.

**TRANSFERS**  
Lt. F. W. T. Ross from D.E.L. Sec. to Res. of Officers, 23.6.39.

to 3rd Bty., 23.6.39.

2/Lt. H. T. Buxton from 1st Bty. to 3rd Bty., 23.6.39.

2/Lt. K. M. A. Barnett from 2nd Bty. to 3rd Bty., 23.6.39.

2/Lt. W. H. Owen from D.E.L. Sec., 4th Bty., 23.6.39.

2/Lt. D. J. S. Crozier from 2nd Bty. to 4th Bty., 23.6.39.

CHINA'S  
MAGNIFICENT  
STRUGGLEGlowing Tribute To  
Generalissimo

CHUNGKING, June 23 (Int'l).—A glowing tribute to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek is contained in a message just received for transmission by the China Branch of the International Peace Campaign for the Defence of Democracy, Peace and Humanity.

The Conference was held recently in Paris with an attendance of 500 delegates representing various countries of the world.

Prior to its conclusion, the Conference adopted a message to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek expressing ardent sympathy for China. It reads in part:

"China's magnificent struggle for national independence and liberty is an example for all countries of peace and democracy. We assure your Excellency of our support and wish you victory over the Japanese aggressor."

In another message addressed to the Chinese people the Conference expressed warm admiration for their heroic resistance against Japanese aggression.

## WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL  
OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., June 23.  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.74 ins.

Temperature, 83 F.  
Humidity, 83 per cent.

Wind Direction, S.  
Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.

Temperature, maximum yesterday, 87 F.

Temperature, minimum last night, 78 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th to-day, 0.60 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1st, 49.49 ins.

Against an average of, 34.63 ins.

Sunrise to-night, 7.10 p.m.

Sunrise to-morrow, 5.40 a.m.

4 p.m., June 23.  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.71 ins.

Temperature, 84 F.

Humidity, 84 per cent.

Wind Direction, South.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.

Maximum temperature, 87 F.

Minimum temperature, 78 F.

Rainfall, nil.

RADIO  
PROGRAMMES

(Continued from Page 5)

dolph (Soprano) with Organ accom. by Herbert Dawson and Solo by Cedric Sharpe. Passacaglia—Albert Sammons (Violin) and Lissa Terila (Viola).

7.38 p.m. Tchaikovsky—Nutsacker Suite, Op. 71A.

Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Bach—Tocatta and Fugue in D Minor.

G. Thalben Ball at the B.B.C. Organ.

8.15 p.m. Studio—Short Biographical Studies of Great Composers by Peter Gracy.

No. 1 John Sebastian Bach.

8.45 p.m. Richard Crooks (Tenor) and Mark Weber and His Orchestra.

Roses From The South—Waltz (J. Strauss)—Mark Weber and His Orchestra.

O Song Divine (St. Ives—Temple); A Dream Of Parades (Lytelton-Gray)—Richard Crooks (Tenor) with Orch. "The Quaker Girl"—Waltz (Monckton); Sweetheart—Waltz (J. Strauss)—Mark Weber and His Orchestra.

8.55 p.m. Studio—Sunday Evening Epilogue.

Conducted by The Very Rev. The Dean of Hongkong.

10.35 p.m. Close down.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 34 June to 30 1939

HIGH WATER. LOW WATER

Days of Week. Date of Month. Hong Kong Standard Time. Height. Days of Week. Date of Month. Hong Kong Standard Time. Height.

Sat. 24. 03.15. 5.0. 08.19. 3.4.

Sun. 25. 04.10. 5.3. 10.08. 3.3.

Mon. 26. 05.02. 5.6. 11.50. 2.9.

Tue. 27. 06.52. 6.0. 12.58. 2.3.

Wed. 28. 08.08. 6.4. 13.54. 1.7.

Thur. 29. 07.26. 6.7. 00.28. 2.2.

Fri. 30. 08.07. 7.0. 01.12. 3.2.

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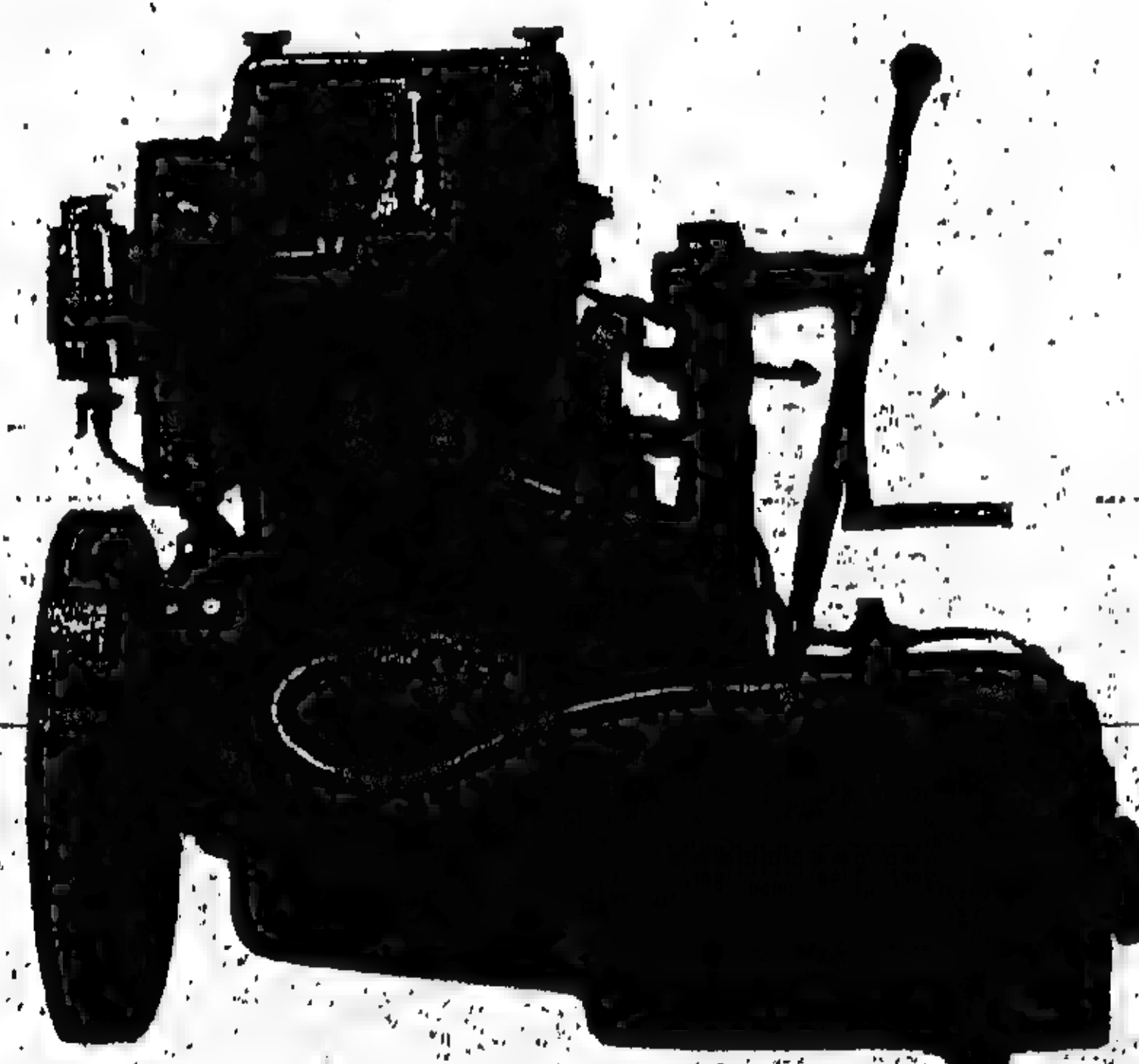
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H. K. STOCK  
EXCHANGE

The past week has witnessed  
one of the quietest experienced for  
some long time. Dealings have  
been on a very modest scale.  
Markings have, on the whole, been  
fairly well maintained on the basis  
of the daily morning opening  
quotations, though a glance at the  
Quotation List indicates many  
counters have sought temporary  
shelter in the nominal column. As  
was mentioned in last week's  
summary, lower levels must be  
faced. In the meantime the mar-  
ket is not overwhelmed with sell-  
ing orders, but naturally buyers  
attitude is to wait for signs of  
weakness prior to adding to their  
commitments. Hongkong Banks  
and Trams continue to be notable  
exceptions, both for remaining in  
fairly constant demand and with  
all offerings readily absorbed.

BUSINESS DONE DURING  
THE WEEK

H.K. Banks, \$1380, \$1340, \$1345,  
\$1342, \$1340, \$1343, \$1340.  
Union Ins., \$440.  
Wharves, \$108.  
Providents, \$465, \$440, \$456.  
H.K. Lands, \$361, \$351, \$36, \$352.  
H.K. Tramways, \$1630, \$161,  
\$1600.

Star Ferries, \$86, \$86, \$86.  
Yau-mat Ferries, \$22,  
Electric, \$55, \$55, \$55.  
Dairy Farms (O), \$21.  
Watsons, \$8.40, \$8.45.  
Entertainments, \$6.80.  
Govt. 3½% loan par.

## BUYERS

Providents, \$4.65.  
Raubs, \$3.40.  
H.K. Lands, \$351.  
H.K. Lands 4% Debentures par.  
H.K. Tramways, \$16.60.  
China Lights (O), \$8.20.  
Canton Ins., \$1.  
Dairy Farms (O), \$21.  
Watsons, \$8.45.  
H.K. Govt. 4% loan 4% pm.

## SELLERS

Canton Ins., \$230.  
Union Ins., \$447.  
H.K. Fires, \$185.  
H. & S. Hotels, \$5.70.  
H.K. Tramways, \$16.70.  
H.K. Lands, \$36.  
Dairy Farms (O), \$22.

## SALES

Union Ins., \$440.  
Providents, \$4.70.  
H.K. Tramways, \$16.80.  
H.K. Electric, \$55.

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING  
QUOTATIONS

Friday, June 23, 1939.  
Centavos  
Antamoks.....21  
Atoks.....23  
Baguio Gold.....23  
Benguet Consol.....10.70  
Batong Buhay.....014  
Manibulo Consol.....9  
Coco Grove.....31  
Demonstrations.....9  
Big Wedge.....21  
Ilogons.....24  
Masbates Consol.....11½  
Mine Operations.....14  
Paracale Gumaus.....17  
Paracale Gumaus.....17  
San Maurelio.....95  
Suyoc Consol.....134  
United Paracale.....43  
Syndicate Investment.....040  
Surigao Consol.....21  
North Camarines.....27½  
Market Comment—Quiet.

HONGKONG  
SHAREBROKERS'  
ASSOCIATION

Volume of Business Transacted

on Friday, June 23, 1939.

Telephones (N)

(June 21).....500 \$7.45

Sun Co. (H.K.).....90 2.50

(June 22).....90 2.50

H.K. Banks (June 22).....7 1,340.00

Lands (June 22).....100 35.75

Providents (June 22).....1,000 4.85

Sun Co. (H.K.).....110 2.50

Ilogons (June 22).....5,000 Pa. 0.24

Ilogons (June 22).....2,000 Pa. 0.25

Antamoks (June 22).....5,000 Pa. 0.21

Union Ins.,.....5 \$440.00

H.K. Banks.....5 1,335.00

Trams.....700 16.80

Watsons.....500 8.50

China Lights (O).....11 8.50

## BANK WITHDRAWALS

## REDUCED

CHUNGKING, June 23 (Central).  
—A Chinese financier stated in an  
interview yesterday that the finan-  
cial situation in Shanghai was  
steady after the announcement  
of the Ministry of Finance to re-  
spect deposit withdrawals to \$500  
weekly, says a Shanghai report.  
Withdrawals during the day, ac-  
cording to the financier, were re-  
duced noticeably.  
The financier explained that the  
action of the Ministry was to pre-  
vent the flight of capital and he  
urged all Chinese citizens to re-  
spect the restrictions.

WEEKLY RETURNS AND REPORTS  
BANK OF ENGLAND

	London, June 22 (Reuter).	June 15	June 8
Public Deposits.....	22,080	22,080	22,080
Other Deposits:—			
Bankers.....	100,300	97,240	97,240
Other Accounts.....	36,400	36,400	36,400
Total.....	136,700	133,720	133,720
Government Securities.....	118,260	118,260	118,260
Other Securities:—			
Discounts and Advances.....	5,850	6,480	6,480
Securities.....	22,950	22,950	22,950
Total.....	28,830	31,890	31,890
Notes and Coins.....	31,800	32,300	32,300
Total Bullion.....	226,750	226,750	226,750
Notes in circulation.....	424,930	424,930	424,930
Ratio of Reserve to Liabilities.....	20.2%	20.3%	20.3%
Price of Gold at Which Holdings are valued.....	148½	148½	148½

## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

	New York, June 22 (Reuter).	June 15	June 8
Bills Bought.....	\$,000	\$,000	\$,000
U.S. Securities held.....	2,584,000	2,584,000	2,584,000
Federal Reserve Ratio.....	85.31%	85.31%	85.31%
Federal Reserve Credit Outstanding.....	2,805,000	2,805,000	2,805,000
Monetary Gold Stock.....	18,027,000	18,027,000	18,027,000
Industrial Advance.....	12,469,000	12,377,000	12,377,000

CHINA FIRST  
LOAN PAYMENT  
TO U.S.

SHANGHAI, June 23 (Int'l).—A  
sum of \$5,000,000 in Chinese na-  
tional currency, consisting of a  
mixture of silver coins and bars  
and a few gold coins packed in  
4,800 cases has arrived in New  
York, according to a San Francisco  
report.

It is reported that the money  
was consigned from Canton and  
shipped by caravan to Haiphong,  
Indo-China, where it was sent to  
Manila on the steamer Laos. The  
consignment arrived in Manila on  
March 7 and was then picked up  
by the President Garfield, which  
travelled three quarters of the way  
around the world past Bombay,  
the Suez Canal and across the  
North Atlantic before arriving in  
San Francisco.

The money reportedly represents  
the Chinese Government's first  
payment on its \$25,000,000 Ameri-  
can loan with which it purchases  
American lorries and other ma-  
terials.

LONDON METALS  
EXCHANGE

London, June 22 (Reuter).

	COFFER	buyers	sellers
Standard, Cash 42-1/16	42-1/8		
Standard, 3 months 42-5/16	42-3/8		
Electrolytic 47-1/2	48-1/2		

	TIN	
Standard, Cash	229	229-1/4
Standard,		
3 months	224-3/4	225

LEAD	
Foreign,	
Official Price 14-5/8	14-11/16

Foreign Official	3 months 14-3/4	14-13/16
	<b>SPELTER</b>	
Ordinary,		

	Final Afternoon Transactions	Tin, Standard, Cash \$229-1/2	paid and value.
Tin, Standard, 3 months, \$225			

YEN AT DISCOUNT  
AGAIN

SHANGHAI, June 23 (Reu-  
ter).—The yen was again at a  
discount against the National  
dollar, buyers paying about 97  
cents for one yen.

FRANCO-JAPANESE  
TRADE AGREEMENT

PARIS, June 23 (Reuter).—  
France will sign in Tokyo to-day a  
commercial agreement for re-  
establishing the balance of trade  
in France's favour.

The agreement regularises the  
situation which arose after Japan  
had recently drastically re-  
duced imports from France and  
France had replied on May 3 by  
imposing a licensing system for  
Japanese imports.

## BANKERS' LOANS

	New York, June 22 (Reuter).	Loan on securities to brokers in	Week-ended	Week-ended
June 15	June 22			
\$24,000,000	\$21,000,000			

U.S. COTTON  
PROBLEMS

WASHINGTON, June 23  
(Reuter).—The House of Re-  
presentatives approved of  
\$225,000,000 for parity cotton  
payments by a vote of 180  
to 175. The \$113,000,000 for  
surplus cotton removal will  
be taken up immediately.

A later message states that the  
\$113,000,000 for surplus crop re-  
moval was approved by a vote  
of 145 to 100.  
About \$35,000,000 of this amount  
will be devoted to cotton export  
subsidies.

A message from London states  
that it is understood that mem-  
bers of the Liverpool Cotton As-  
sociation passed a resolution that  
while deploring the Government's  
rubber for cotton barter scheme,  
they had authorized directors to  
give assistance and advice to  
the Government.

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• ATAGO MARU 30th July

NEW YORK via Panama.

• AKAGI MARU 9th July

LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez.

YASUKUNI MARU 7th July

KASIMA MARU 29th July

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thurs-  
day Island, Brisbane.SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via Saigon, Madang,  
Salamaua, Rabaul.

• M.V. NEPTUNA 24th June

BOMBAY via Singapore &amp; Colombo.

• NAGATO MARU 2nd July

• ANYO MARU 9th July

RANGOON &amp; CALCUTTA via Singapore

• MATUE MARU (Calls Madras) 2nd July

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## SHIPPING

## DUE TO-DAY

Sorholt, Norwegian, 2,329 regis-  
tered tons Capt. J. J. Jacobsen  
from Manila 9 a.m. at buoy No. A1  
— Gilman & Co. (Tel. 30998).Tai Sang, British, 1,949 regis-  
tered tons Capt. W. A. Balch from  
Haiphong and Pakhoi a.m. at buoy  
No. B7—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).Tsinan, British, 2,100 registered  
tons Capt. J. K. Clark from S'hai  
a.m. at buoy No. B7—B. & S. (Tel.  
30331).Chenonceaux, French, 8,389 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Razinbaud from  
Marseilles via Straits & Manilla  
a.m. at K'loon Wharf—M. M. &  
(Tel. 28651).

## DUE TO-MORROW

Tjisaroca, Dutch, 4,394 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Van Nuy from  
Amoy p.m. at K'loon Wharf—J.C.J.  
Line. (Tel. 28015).Tak Sang, British, 1,984 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Bidwell from S'hai  
a.m. at West Point Wharf—J. M. &  
Co. (Tel. 30311).Conte Biancamano, Italian,  
13,682 regd tons Capt. G. Ferrara  
from Europe, Straits and Manilla  
a.m. at K'loon Wharf—Lloyd Tries-  
tino. (Tel. 32983).Bertram Rickmers, German from  
Europe and Manilla a.m. at K'loon  
Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel.  
27772).

## SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Yaumati—Foch, Produce, Govi-  
ken, Pipina.Kowloon Bay—Claude Chappe,  
Kowloon Wharf—Chitral, Fri-  
derun, Ranpura, Neptuna.Douglas Wharf—Selstan.  
Holt's Wharf—Teucer.  
Williamson Wharf—Marie Mol-  
ler.Stonescutters—Jessie Moller.  
C.M.S.N. Wharf—New Mathilde,  
Changon.

## DOCKS

Talkoo—Breconshire, Dardanus,  
Chinese Prince, Kwangtung, Kan-  
chow, Genshiel and Nanning.Kowloon—Mayon, Silveryew,  
Corregidor, Lillian Moller.

## BUOYS

No. A 5—Anshan  
No. A 7—Blackheath  
No. A13—Kwelyang  
No. A15—Benedict  
No. B 2—Dabpu  
No. B 3—Chekiang  
No. B 4—Utsire  
No. B 5—Lyemmoon  
No. B 8—E Sang  
No. B10—Michael Jebson  
No. B11—Bellas  
No. B12—Promise  
No. B15—Kiangsu  
No. B18—Hal Hing  
No. B17—Sui Yang  
No. B18—Prominent  
No. B21—ChungkingARRIVED  
YESTERDAYNew Mathilde, British, 935 regis-  
tered tons Capt. R. Wherry from  
K. C. Wan at C.M.S.N. Wharf—Tal  
Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).Chekiang, British, 1,313 regis-  
tered tons Capt. D. Brochie from  
Haiphong at buoy No. B3—B. & S.  
(Tel. 30331).Atsuta Maru, Japanese, 4,940 regis-  
tered tons Capt. H. Itani from  
Japan at buoy No. A5—N.Y.K.  
(Tel. 30291).Oder, German, 5,329 registered  
tons Capt. K. V. Nathan from Eu-  
rope and Manilla—Kowloon  
Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel.  
27772).Canton Maru, Japanese, 1,847 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Nishino from  
Canton at O. S. K. Wharf—O.  
S.K. (Tel. 28061).Changon British, 2,235 registered  
tons Capt. L. N. Beer from K. C.  
Wan at C. M. S. N. Wharf—  
Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).Chungking, British, 1,311 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Orwin from Wen-  
chow at buoy No. B21—B. & S.  
(Tel. 30331).Ersmine, Norwegian, 1,377 regis-  
tered tons Capt. K. Gjertsen  
from Swatow at buoy No. B18—K.  
Larsen & Co. (Tel. 20998).Promise, Norwegian, 1,277 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Melling from  
S'hai at buoy No. B12—Wallem &  
Co. (Tel. 21878).SAILING  
TO-MORROWAnshun, British, 1,869 registered  
tons Capt. C. P. Miller from K. C.  
Wan at buoy No. A5 from Swatow, Spore  
and Penang 5 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel.  
30331).Kiangsu, British, 1,555 regis-  
tered tons Capt. R. Allinson from  
buoy No. B15 for Swatow & S'hai  
3 p.m.—B. & S. (30331).Sui Yang, British, 1,594 regis-  
tered tons Captain W. G. McKenzie  
from buoy No. B17 for K. C. Wan,  
Pakhoi, Haiphong and Haiphong 4  
p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Friderun, German, 1,470 regis-  
tered tons Capt. G. Bloem from  
K'loon Wharf for Madang, Sala-  
mau and Tulagi p.m.—Melchers  
& Co. (Tel. 27772).Conte Biancamano, Italian,  
13,682 Capt. Ferrara from K'loon  
Wharf for S'hai a.m.—Lloyd Tries-  
tino. (Tel. 32983).Dabpu, Norwegian, 1,146 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Sveen from buoy  
No. B2 for S'hai, Chetoo & Tsin  
2 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).Africa Maru, O. S. K. liner had  
a seaman desert some miles off  
the East African Coast taking a  
lifeboat with him. However, he  
forgot to put the plug in; he was  
picked up.

## SAILING TO-DAY

Hal Ching, British, 1,322 regis-  
tered tons Capt. W. B. Patey from  
Douglas Wharf for Chuanchow 8  
a.m.—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).Canton Maru, Japanese, 1,847  
regd. tons Capt. Nishino from O.  
S.K. Wharf for Formosa noon—O.  
S.K. (Tel. 28061).Hal Hing, British, 1,445 regis-  
tered tons Capt. E. R. Hannevig from  
buoy No. B16 for Amoy 9 a.m.—  
Thorsen & Co. (Tel. 30237).Sorholt, Norwegian, 2,329 regis-  
tered tons Capt. J. J. Jacobsen  
from buoy No. A1 for Los Angeles,  
Panama, New York and Boston  
p.m.—Gilman & Co. (Tel. 30998).Ranpura, British, 9,331 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Parfitt from K'loon  
Wharf for Spore, Bombay, Mar-  
seilles and London noon—M. M. &  
Co. (Tel. 27721).Neptuna, British, 3,607 regis-  
tered tons Capt. R. Duddell from  
K'loon Wharf for Saigon, Madang,  
Salamaua, Rabaul, Sydney & Mel-  
bourne mid-night—Gibb Living-  
ston & Co. (Tel. 28031).E Sang, British, 2,055 registered  
tons Capt. S. Schofield from buoy  
No. B3 for Haiphong 5 p.m.—J. M.  
& Co. (Tel. 30311).Chenonceaux, French, 8,389 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Razinbaud from  
K'loon Wharf for Shanghai &  
Japan noon—M. M. (Tel. 28651).Lyemmoon, British, 1,734 regis-  
tered tons Capt. E. Holmes from  
buoy No. B5 for Saigon p.m.—Wo  
Fat Sing. (Tel. 20065).Teucer, British, 5,761 registered  
tons Capt. Dodds from Holt's Whf.  
for S'hai and Japan p.m.—B. & S.  
(Tel. 30331).New Mathilde, British, 935 regis-  
tered tons Capt. R. Wherry from  
C.M.S.N. Wharf for K. C. Wan 4  
p.m.—Tal Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).SAILED  
YESTERDAYHong Sang for Spore  
Emp. of Russia for S'hai  
Tal Yuan for S'haiPres. Cleveland for Manilla  
Man Sang for S'hai  
Farncastle for BahrainAtsuta Maru for Manilla  
Hafeldawins for K. C. Wan  
Fau Sang for S'haiTjisadane for Amoy  
Ninghai for Wenchow  
Tinhow for SaigonCler for S'hai  
Sikang for Haiphong  
Miramar for SamarindaAndes, Royal Mail turbine liner,  
26,000 tons was launched at Har-  
land and Wolff by Lady Cra-  
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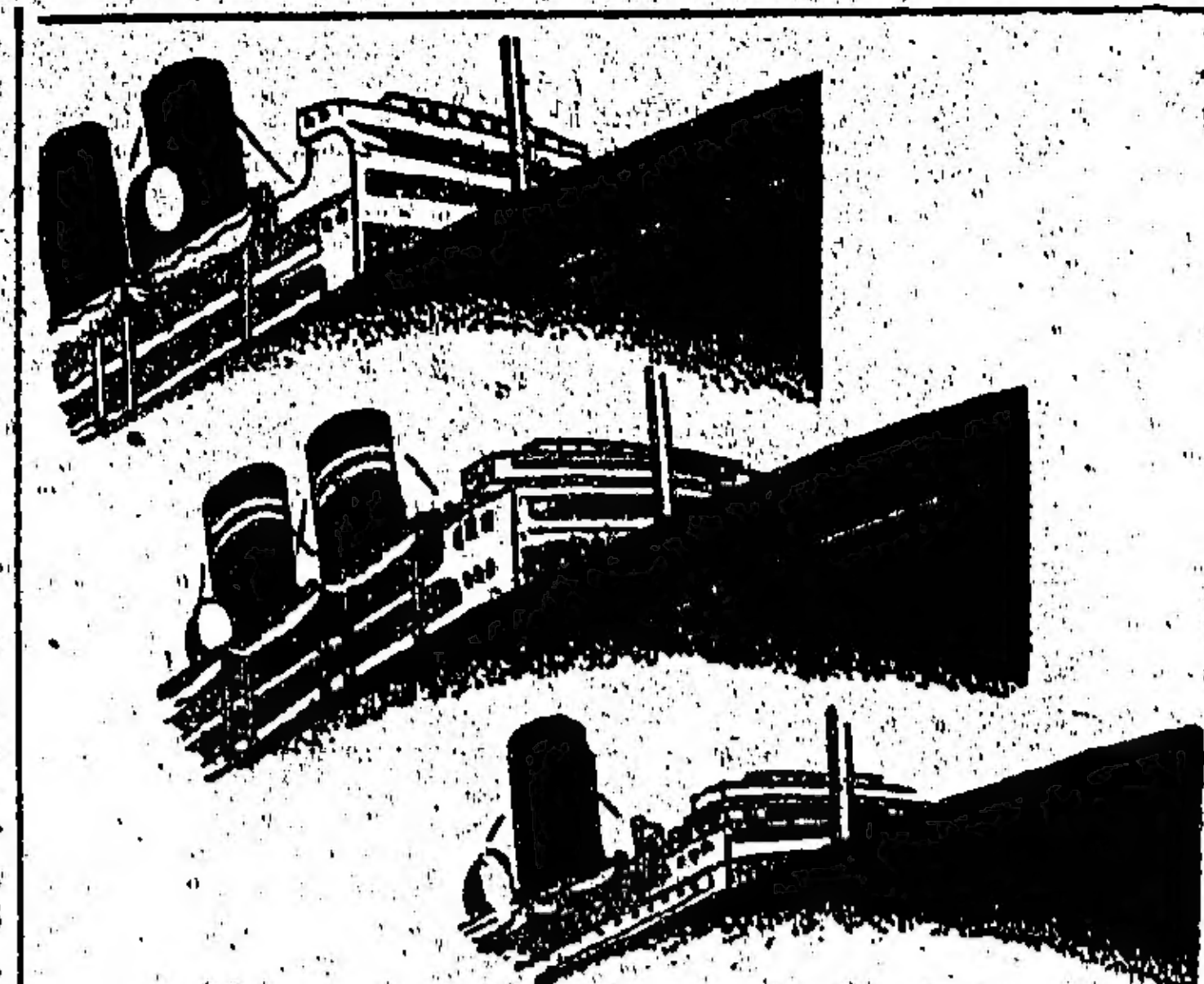
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SCANTON	15,500	19th Aug.	B'bay, Marseilles & London
*SCATHAGE	14,500	26th Aug.	B'bay, Marseilles & London
*SOMALI	6,000	9th Sept.	B'bay, Marseilles & London
RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
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TALMA	10,000	19th July	Shanghai & Japan
*BURDWAN	6,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan
NELLORE	7,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan
CANTON	15,500	20th July	Shanghai & Japan
*IRDHANA	10,000	20th July	do.
CATHAGE	14,500	27th Aug.	do.
*SOMALI	7,000	3rd Aug.	do.
SHIRALA	8,000	7th Aug.	Japan
TALMA	10,000	7th Aug.	Rangoon & Japan
RAJPUTANA	17,000	17th Aug.	do.

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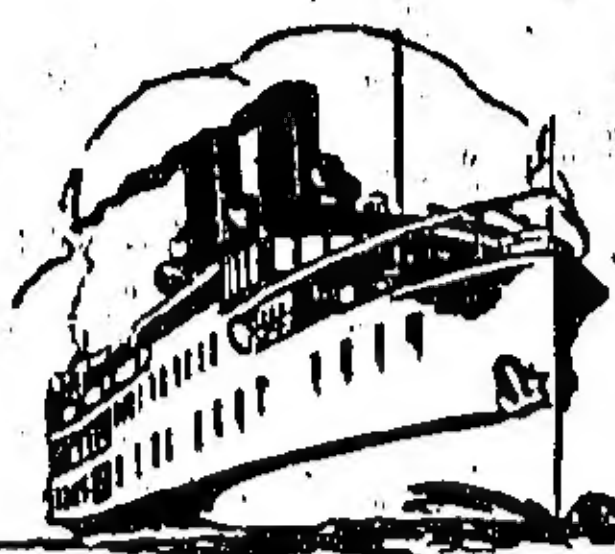
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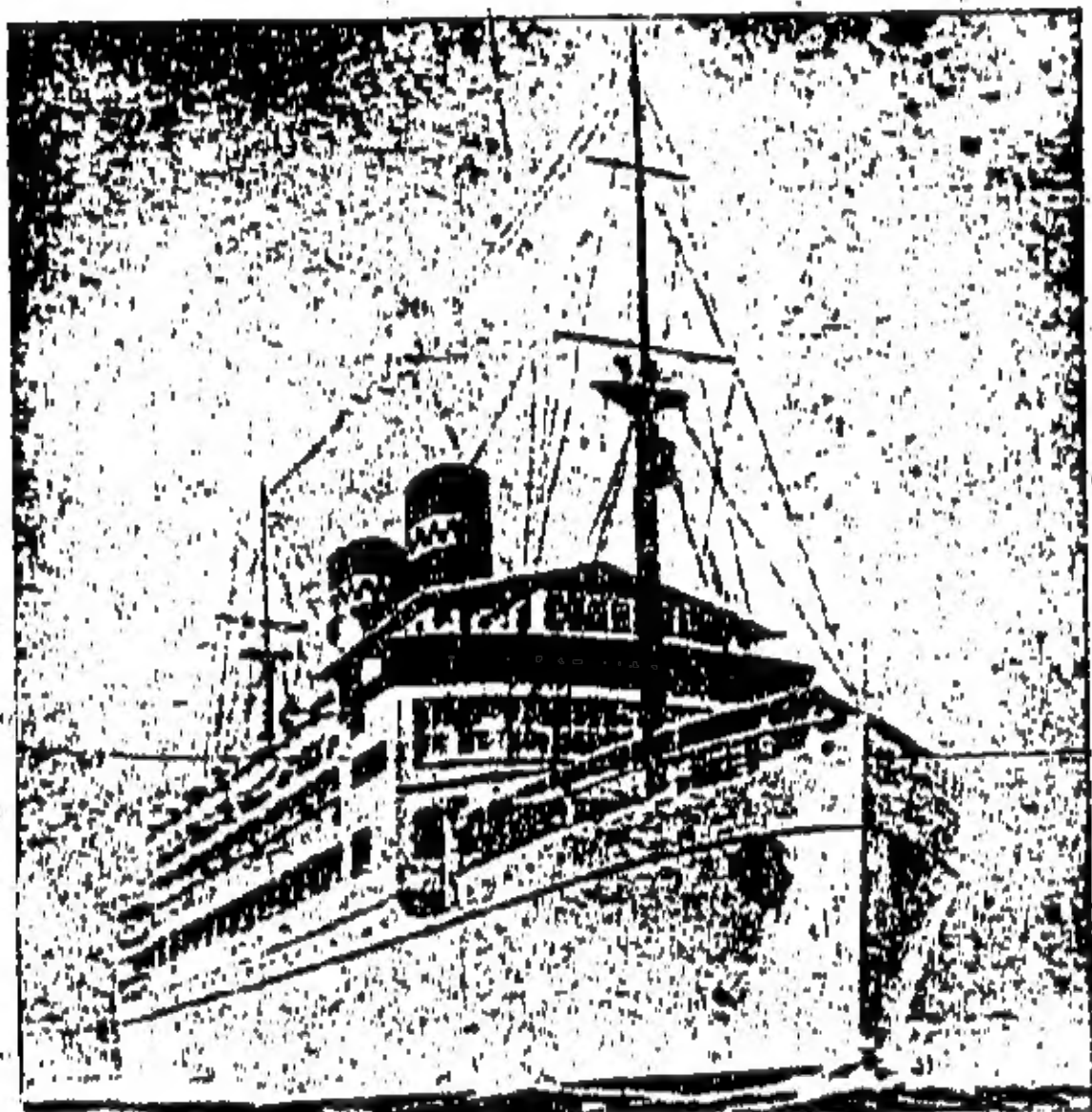
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IN TIENTSIN CONTINUE: SEVEN  
BRITISH VICTIMSEnergetic Protest Lodged  
By Consul-General

## QUESTIONS IN COMMONS

TIENTSIN, June 23 (Reuter)—Seven more Britons  
were subjected to "strip to the skin" searches and  
other indignities by the Japanese in full view of Chi-  
nese onlookers of both sexes yesterday.One Briton had his passport rammed between his  
teeth during a "mouth examination."The British Consul-General is understood to be  
lodging a most energetic protest.Soviet citizens, of whom there are about 200 in  
Tientsin, are stated by eye-witnesses to be subjected  
to even greater indignities especially their women.LONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—Referring to Tientsin, in the House  
of Commons yesterday, Mr. Chamberlain said that the barrier of  
restrictions was unchanged and that British subjects who passed  
the barriers reported long delay and strict search.Sufficient quantities of fresh  
food were entering the concession  
after much delay.  
About this time women and  
children generally left Tientsin  
concessions for seaside resorts in  
order to escape the hot weather  
and arrangements were being made  
to expedite their departure. The  
first party had already left.H.M.S. Sandwich had arrived in  
Tientsin on June 20 and H.M.S.  
Lowestoft, which was to be re-  
lieved, would remain for the pre-  
sent.Stronger Action Urged  
Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Deputy  
Leader of the Labour Opposition,  
asked if, in the face of repeated  
acts of aggression, the Premier  
would take stronger action to ex-  
press His Majesty's Government's  
displeasure.Mr. Chamberlain: "Mr. Green-  
wood can rest assured that the  
Government has viewed these acts  
with grave concern."In the case of Tientsin,  
where the situation is most  
acute still, it is hoped that it  
may be possible to settle the  
local issues, but if these nego-  
tiations fail, the Government is  
considering what further steps  
they should take.Preposterous Suggestion  
"Sir John Wardlaw Milne (Con)  
asked Mr. Chamberlain whether  
he had seen the Japanese reports  
that Sir Robert Craigie, the Bri-  
tish Ambassador in Tokyo, had  
appeared before Mr. Arita, the  
Japanese Foreign Minister, to sue  
for mercy."Mr. Chamberlain: On the  
face of that, the suggestion  
will at once be seen to be  
preposterous, as nothing of the  
kind has occurred.Very Serious  
Mr. Noel Baker (Lab) suggested  
that the aggressive attacks on  
foreign rights might become an  
attempt at world domination in  
the Far East.Mr. Chamberlain said that he  
hoped that would not be proved to  
be the case, but if it were so, it  
would be very serious."FRIENDLY ADVICE"  
TOKYO, June 23 (Reuter)—A  
Foreign Office spokesman to-day  
referred to the Japanese request  
to foreign warships to leave  
Swatow as "friendly advice" which  
has been "grossly misinterpreted  
abroad."The Japanese advice, he said,  
had been given in a friendly spirit  
to prevent incidents and not de-  
signed to ban the entry of foreign  
shipping to Swatow.SERIOUS VIEW  
SINGAPORE, June 23 (Ren-  
ter)—A serious view of the  
situation in Tientsin and  
Swatow is, it is believed, being  
taken by the British and  
French defence conference.Although confirmation is lack-  
ing it is thought that Admiral Sir  
Percy Noble, C.-in-C. of the China  
Station, may accelerate his re-  
turn to China.It is also thought that the Bri-  
tish and French naval forces, al-  
though smaller than those of a  
potential enemy in the Far East,  
would have tremendous nuisance  
value, until reinforcements could  
arrive.Preparations have already  
been made for the stationing  
of a battle fleet at Singapore  
in the event of war.Any attempt by the Japanese  
to blockade Swatow harbour  
would not be recognised, Bri-  
tish naval authorities stated  
yesterday.SANDRINGHAM  
FOAL STAKESLONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—  
The results of the Sandringham  
Foal Stakes run to-day is as  
follows:—1. Wheatland 9 to 4; 2.  
Fairfax 10 to 1; 3. Cinchona 11 to  
4. Eight ran. Won by two  
lengths, the same distance separ-  
ating second and third.Mr. T. G. Stokes, Police accom-  
pant, residing at No. 8, Sau Chuk  
Yuen Road, reported yesterday  
that his bedroom was invaded  
some time before noon by some  
unknown person who took away  
one brown leather attache case  
containing private papers and a  
bank book.

## A CALL TO PRAYER

UNITED EFFORTS ON BEHALF  
OF CHINA: DIPLOMATIC AND  
ECONOMIC ACTION URGEDLONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—A call to Christians through-  
out the world for united prayers on behalf of China on July 9 is  
made in a letter to the press, signed by, amongst others, the  
Archbishop of York and twenty Bishops.The National Committee of the  
International Peace Campaign  
passed a resolution yesterday urg-  
ing the Government to take  
diplomatic and economic action  
forthwith to restrain the aggres-  
sor (Japan), without waiting for a  
prior explicit assurance of what  
other Governments say or may do,  
and demanding that the whole  
problem of Japanese aggression be  
taken up with the members of the  
League of Nations and the signa-  
tories of the Nine-Power Pact.

Laconic And Formal

At the meeting of the Conser-  
vative members of the House of  
Commons, which was private, the  
participants declined to amplify  
the laconic and formal statement  
that the Foreign Affairs Com-  
mittee of Government supporters had  
met and that Mr. A.C. Moreland  
had reviewed the situation in the  
Far East, after which discussion  
took place on the position in  
Tientsin.DERBY DEFEAT  
LEICESTERLONDON, June 23 (Reuter)—In  
the County cricket championship  
Derbyshire defeated Leicestershire  
by nine wickets.Leicester 128 and 124 (Townsend  
5 for 45); Derby 197 (Smith 5 for  
64) and 54 for 1.The match between Surrey and  
Oxford University was abandoned  
as a draw owing to rain.  
Surrey 234; Oxford 133 for 1.AMERICAN  
STAND IN  
SWATOWNO WITHDRAWAL  
OF SHIPS

WASHINGTON, June 23 (Reuter)

The U.S. Navy Department an-  
nounces that Admiral Yarnell told  
the Japanese Naval Commander  
in the Far East that American  
ships would remain in Chinese  
ports as long as American citizens  
were in need of protection and as-  
sistance.The Navy Department added  
they had sent another warship, the  
destroyer Pillsbury from Swatow,  
they had sent another warship the  
destroyer Pope, which had already  
arrived in Swatow.According to the Navy Depart-  
ment, Admiral Yarnell told  
the Japanese Commander that  
United States warships would try  
to avoid interference with Japan-  
ese operations as far as was con-  
sistent with their duty of watching  
United States interests.He added that he could not  
accept the statement that the  
Japanese authorities cannot take  
the responsibility for damage in-  
curred if the American vessels  
were not withdrawn.

## CALM VIEW IN U.S.

WASHINGTON, June 23 (Reuter)  
—Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary  
of State, stated yesterday at a  
Press conference that he took a  
calm view of the Swatow situation  
and that the State Department  
did not intend to take up the  
situation with Tokyo.

## "SCORCHED EARTH"

SWATOW, June 23 (Reuter)—  
The Japanese completed their oc-  
cupation of Swatow early this  
morning in the glare of the huge  
fires started by the Chinese in  
pursuance of their "scorched  
earth" policy.The flames which lit up the sky  
for miles around last night have  
already wiped out numerous go-  
downs and buildings and are still  
raging.The Chinese also wrecked the  
water-works, but foreign life and  
property are hitherto safe.Chinese Electrocutated  
TIENTSIN, June 23 (Reuter)—  
The electrification by Japanese of  
the barbed wire round the British  
Concession claimed its first victim  
this morning. The dead body of  
a Chinese was seen slumped  
against the barricade.CATHOLIC NEWS  
AND NOTES

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to Mass and received Holy Com-  
munion in the morning and  
stayed at home during the day.  
The people did not forget it,  
however, and in addition to shoals  
of telegram from all over the  
world, hundreds of simple citizens  
called to his modest home and  
left bunches of flowers there in  
token of their respect. He is re-  
garded with the greatest affection  
by his own people.On the day before his fiftieth  
birthday, Dr. Salazar celebrated  
the eleventh anniversary of his  
entry into politics, as Minister of  
Finance. It was a strange anniver-  
sary, for it recalled the fact that  
he did not want the cabinet ap-  
pointment. In fact a few days  
after he was given the position he  
relinquished it, left Lisbon, and  
returned to his old post of Uni-  
versity professor.He gave up the office because he  
saw that it was useless for him  
to hold it unless he got special  
powers which had been refused  
him. Within a few days more he  
was brought back to the capital  
almost by force and given the  
powers which he had demanded.  
He has since proved to be the  
saviour of his country.

## FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, 24th JUNE, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

Registered and Ordinary mail & Parcels (not insured) will be ac-  
cepted for Canton and despatched as circumstances permit.  
Letters and Postcards for Europe (except Great Britain and Eire)  
and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed

## INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Tientsin and Swatow	Yingchow	24th June
Shanghai and Swatow	Tsinan	24th June
Saloon	Chenonceaux	24th June
Manila	Comte	25th June
	Blancamano	25th June
	Tjisaroca	25th June
Amoy		
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 21st June	Imperial Airways Plane	26th June
Manila	Granville	26th June
Shanghai	Kingman	27th June
U.S.A. Honolulu, Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 1st June)	Tatuta Maru	27th June
Straits	Van Heuts	27th June
Air Mail by "Pan American Air- ways Direct Service"—San Fran- cisco date, 21st June	Pan American Airways Plane	28th June
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris date, 21st June	Air France Plane	28th June
Shanghai	Boisvalin	28th June
Manila	Pres. Cleveland	28th June
Haiphong	Canton	28th June
Shanghai	Sarpedon	28th June
Japan	Nagato Maru	28th June
Japan	Nankin	28th June
Tientsin and Swatow	Chengtu	28th June
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 24th June	Imperial Airways Plane	29th June
Haiphong, Pakhoi, Hoihow and Fort Bayard	Soochow	29th June
Japan	Tilawa	29th June
Tientsin and Swatow	Hupei	30th June
Straits	Hakone Maru	30th June
Canada, U.S.A. Honolulu, Japan & Shanghai (Vancouver B.C. date, 10th June)	Emp. of Japan	30th June
Shanghai	Behar	30th June
Japan	Alpore	1st July
Saloon	Laos	2nd July
Japan	Achilles	2nd July
Shanghai and Amoy	Tjisadane	2nd July
Straits	Eumeneus	2nd July
Straits and Manila	Memnon	2nd July
Shanghai	Ixion	4th July
Calcutta and Straits	Talma	4th July
Australia and Manila	Nellore	4th July
Japan	Africa Maru	4th July

## OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED AND PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier  
than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails  
are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails  
are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
SATURDAY		
Air Mail for "K. L. M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 4th July	Ranpura	9.30 AM
Shanghai and Japan	Chenonceaux	10.00 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, E and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Europe via Marseilles—due Mar- seilles, 21st July	Ranpura	9.45 AM
Fort Bayard	New Mathilde	10.30 AM
Formosa	Canton Maru	10.30 AM
Haiphong	Esang	3.00 PM
Saloon	Neptuna	5.00 PM
Amoy	Anshun	5.00 PM
Bangkok	Michael Jensen	5.00 PM
SUNDAY		
Shanghai and Japan	Chitral	9.00 AM
Papers only for Madang, Sala- mau, and Tulagi	Friderun	9.00 AM
Swatow	Kiang	9.00 AM
Fort Bayard, Hoihow and Pakhoi	Sulyang	9.00 AM
MONDAY		
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 3rd July	Imperial Airways Plane	5.00 PM
Airmail for Malaya, Java, and Aus- tralia, by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 3rd July	Imperial Airways Plane	5.00 PM
Haiphong	Chekiang	8.30 AM
Batavia and Sourabaya	Tjisaroca	10.30 AM
Swatow	Kwangtung	2.30 PM
Parcels only for Straits, Penang, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Marseilles and London—due London, 3rd August	Sarpedon	5.00 PM
WEDNESDAY		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A. Central and South America via San Francisco, and Papers only for Canada—due San Francisco, 20th July—and Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) via Siberia	Tatuta Maru	5.00 PM
Swatow	Taisan	2.30 PM
Amoy	Tsinan	2.30 PM
Haiphong	Taksang	4.00 PM
THURSDAY		
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Hon- olulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan- American Airways Direct Service" —due San Francisco 5th July	Pan American Airways Plane	5.00 PM

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